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Washington Square, Weymouth.
Quincy, Oct. 22.

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Installation at Wollaston.

On Monday evening last, Wollaston Lodge, No. 926, Knights of Honor, entertained its friends by a public installation of the officers elected and a concert at Wollaston Hall. It was the first public affair of the kind that the lodge has had, and was very interesting and enjoyable to the many present. Several of the officers of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts honored the occasion by their presence, among them being the Grand Dictator, W. W. Woodbury. The officers elected were those published in last week's Patriot, and the installing officer was Dr. D. B. Yaw, H. O. Fairbanks, Wollaston, and he performed his work smoothly and well.

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Brief Locals.

Dr. Salls, we were sorry to learn, is very seriously sick with pneumonia.

A copy of the "Rebellion Record" of Quincy is wanted; see advertisement.

The Quincy Polo Club will play a match game with the club at Brockton next Tuesday evening.

Sundays are the coldest days of the season. Last Sunday morning it was two to six degrees below zero.

Professor F. P. Billings, the fancy skater was much admired at the Skating Rink last Saturday evening.

All persons having a demand against the town of Quincy are requested by the Selectmen to present the same.

Don't fail to attend the temperance lecture by Hon. John B. Finch of Nebraska at the Town Hall this evening.

Mr. Lewis T. Tupper lost a nice horse this week. The cause was the animal's sickness the veterinary surgeon could not tell.

The officers elect of Woodbine Lodge, No. 277, Knights and Ladies of Honor, of Wollaston, were installed on Tuesday evening.

The Water Company are still pushing forward their work, and are in hopes to be able to commence pumping in about one week.

The Myopia Club are to hold a series of assemblies at the Quincy Skating Rink, commencing on Tuesday evening of next week. Weinberger's Orchestra will furnish the music.

The lovers of pop corn should test that advertised by Clapp Bros., as it is a very superior article. We have sampled it, and know it to be excellent.

A number of young people from this town attended the Leap Year party under the auspices of the Brintree Cadets, at the Brintree Town Hall, last evening.

Mr. William H. Glennon, of West Quincy, has invented a new kind of roller skate, which he thinks can be used very successfully on the street.

The frame of a new house being built by Samuel D. Ramsdell on Depot street, Atlantic, for Mr. John Golden, blew down in the gale on Wednesday morning.

A reunion of the Spear family is to be held on Tuesday evening next, at Faxon Hall. These meetings like the parties of the family are largely attended and greatly enjoyed.

The grand Leap Year party which has been looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure by the young people connected with the Unitarian Church, will take place at Faxon Hall next Friday evening.

Yesterday afternoon, there was a slight fire at the residence of James Sullivan, near the granite quarry of Messrs. Field & Wild. An alarm was given, but the flames were extinguished without the aid of the fire department.

Mr. Charles H. Spear was plowing his ice on Thursday, preparatory to getting it in. It was about a foot thick and of good quality. The rain yesterday put a stop to his labors, and he will probably be obliged to wait a few days.

One of the heaviest rains that has visited this vicinity for many months fell on Tuesday night, over two inches on the level. It carried off a large quantity of snow; still the ground is pretty well covered at the present time.

About six acres of land on the corner of Granite and Water streets were sold at auction on the fourth instant by order of the administrator of the estate of William H. Jones. Mr. William Williams was the purchaser at \$3,000.

The annual reunion of the F. F.'s at Faxon Hall on Wednesday evening was an enjoyable time, but unfortunately for the association was but thinly attended; being a very much smaller party than on previous years. Porter's orchestra furnished excellent music.

Some wells that have been dry for many months are now supplied with water. The heavy rain this week will be appreciated by many. The well at Mr. Joseph W. Dennen's residence, which has not been supplied for many months is now meeting all demands promptly.

A meeting of young gentlemen interested in the formation of a gymnasium was held in the skating rink Thursday evening last. Mr. J. F. Pierce was elected Chairman. Committees were chosen to ascertain the actual expenses, and will report at the next meeting, Thursday, Jan. 17th.

The play of Rob Roy McGregor is to be represented soon in Quincy under unusually favorable circumstances. Some members of Clan McGregor, under the auspices of the clan in this town, have long been preparing themselves to fitly perform this play. As they are Scotchmen they will put into it the proper spirit. Their rehearsals promise an excellent performance.

The supper and entertainment at the Universalist every last Wednesday evening were well attended. In the enforced absence of the cornet player our capable pianist Mr. A. T. Jackson ably introduced the programme with a solo. It was a treat to listen to the sweet and cultivated voice of Mr. and Miss Peck, assisted by the sympathetic accompaniment of Miss Montgomery. Mr. Monroe recited several original selections and responded to repeated encores, adding greatly to the delight of the evening. May we soon hear him again.

GRANITE BANK. At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Granite Bank held on Tuesday last, the following named gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year:—Charles Marsh, James Torrey, Charles R. Mitchell, William G. Sheen, T. King, Jr., Thomas A. Whitcher, Edwin W. Marsh and R. F. Clifton.

A subsequent meeting held by the "Doctors," Hon. Charles Marsh was chosen president.

ARRIVED. A large three-masted schooner, with about four hundred thousand feet of cypress lumber for the U. S. Stearns Company, was successfully towed up through the ice to their wharf on Nespet River, on Thursday morning last.

RESIGNATION. Hon. Asa Brintree, who has served long and faithfully on the commission of inland fisheries, has sent his resignation to the Governor.

For the Patriot.

Quincy Point Items.

CHURCHES.

The week of prayer has been observed by both churches in this place. At the Baptist Church a prayer meeting has been held on each evening and Monday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Higgins has been very well attended.

At the Congregational Church service was held every evening excepting Wednesday, when a parish meeting was deemed necessary. The programme arranged by the alliance was not strictly adhered to.—Monday evening's subject being the promises of God; Tuesday's,—humiliation and confession; Thursday's,—prayer for the Sunday School; Friday's,—prayer for baptism of the Holy Ghost. The meetings have had about a usual attendance, with the exception of Thursday, when an especially interesting service was held.

On Wednesday evening the Ladies' Church Fund Association held a meeting in the vestry and transacted business of importance. It was voted to have a jug breaking on Wednesday next, which will be provided a supper, and possibly some further entertainment. Admission fee, ten cents.

The term "jug breaking" may sound slightly intemperate, and possibly our townsmen Mr. H. H. Faxon, on hearing of the entertainment, may think he has not done his full duty by the Point; but the matter is no more serious than this.—Some five months ago, thirty ladies volunteered to each take a jug and see how much might be got in small contributions from their friends, the money to be added to the building fund of the church. Mr. Fred H. Smith will be the referee, and Mr. George A. Sidelinger will count the contents.

This is the first of a series of pleasant entertainments the association is planning to bring before the public, and the fact of having so convenient and comfortable a place for holding the same, as the new vestry, it is supposed that they will be well attended, and thus aid in the good work of canceling the debt incurred by the church in remodeling its building.

The Vulture Engine Company held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening. It was voted to hold a ball on the 24th instant in the Town Hall which being much larger than Faxon Hall, where their assemblies have been held, will probably accommodate all who wish to attend. Also voted that the proceeds be given to the charitable society in the place, which will be a good use.

It is rumored that amongst this excellent company sufficient talent will manifest to favor forming a glee club, or a minstrel troupe. Rehearsals are now being held, and soon a fine entertainment will be announced.

ARRIVED. Dec. 20th, schooner Lillian, Capt. Ryan, from Belfast, Me., with granite for Quincy parties.

Dec. 27th, schooner Minnetta, Capt. Wade, from Belfast, Maine, with hay for Cyrus Patch.

Dec. 28th, schooner Martin L. Smith, Capt. Smith, from Baltimore, Md., with coal for Cyrus Patch.

PERSONAL. Mr. Esborn Hall has raised a small barn on his place this week.

Mr. E. G. Bryden's little daughter is quite sick with scarlet fever.

Mr. Alfred Sampson's family have gone to Sharon for the winter.

Mr. S. B. Brown and son have returned from Chelsea, where they have spent the past few weeks.

Mr. Joseph Linnell will start a Quincy Point & Boston express on Monday, and, being a reliable man, he should receive a share of patronage. E. M. F.

District Court, Quincy.

The following criminal cases have been before the District Court this week:—

Bartholomew Farrell, of Weymouth, for a fourth drunk. Case continued for two months.

John and Mary Unton, of Weymouth, for keeping a liquor nuisance. They were each fined \$50 and costs, and ordered to the House of Correction for three months. They appealed.

Thomas Morgan for vagrancy. Sent to the House of Correction for three months.

John Collins for a like offence was sent for five months.

District Police Edwin Thomas arrested on Saturday night last Elmer Brown, of Taunton, for larceny from the shoe shop of David S. Murray of South Weymouth, on the night of the 24th of February, 1882. They were arraigned and held in \$800 bonds for their appearance on Wednesday morning next.

A wealthy young man of Natick, Mass., while much the worse for drink, hired a horse. He fell asleep in the vehicle while the stable boys were harnessing the horse, and they let him sleep in the stable. When he awoke, he said he had used the quadruped well and fed him at Newton Lower Falls. He paid \$3 for his drive, and went off satisfied.

An old house, once known as the Anchor Tavern, in which Lafayette was when he was in Hingham, is still standing, and an avenue which has recently been laid out, across an adjoining estate is now named "Lafayette," in remembrance of the General's stay at the house near by.

M. M. Ballou, who has been stopping at the Tremont House, Boston, since his return from a trip around the world, has paid that hotel \$70,000 for board. He has made that hotel his home for many years, including all the time that he was running the St. James Hotel.—Rochester Journal.

RECEIPTS. The total receipts of the government during the first half of the fiscal year that ended with December 31, 1882, amounted to \$178,344,207, as against \$200,801,187 for the corresponding period of last year, which is a falling off of \$28,456,980.

ASTOR FAMILY. As a proof of the great wealth of the Astor family in New York, it may be stated that their taxes this year amounted to over \$400,000. This does not represent their entire taxable wealth, at least \$100,000 of taxes are paid by lessees of their buildings.

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A Strike for Freedom.

The Twenty-first birthday of Mr. Hugh Owens was very pleasantly celebrated on Monday evening at his residence. About fifty ladies and gentlemen were present, and all enjoyed the festivities of the evening, which consisted of games, dancing, &c. A splendid collation was served. Mr. Owens was presented with an elegant watch chain and charm from his friends. Also a fine gold ring from his mother, and from others a pair of sleeve buttons and a mustache cup,—the latter were presented by his very useful, and was at least quite suggestive. The party separated at a late hour with good wishes that many birthdays be added to his life, and that all may prove as pleasant as the one last passed. C.

For the Patriot. In Memoriam. Of Walter P. Brackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Brackett, of Quincy, Mass., who died in Seattle, Washington Territory:—

Far from his home he breathed his last, North of the North-western skies. At noon of life his journey o'er, In death's calm sleep he lies.

His kindness made the stranger friends, Who gathered round his bed, And cheer'd him with his tender care, And e'er he found his great reward.

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THEir RANGES at SHORT

NOTICE, at FAVORABLE PRICES.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Furnaces and Ranges set and repaired.

E. S. FELLOWS,

Hancock Street,

Quincy, Dec. 3.

STOVES & RANGES

TIN WARE

Kitchen Furnishing Goods,

ZINC, SHEET LEAD,

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IRON SINKS,

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We keep a large stock of Linings and

Grates for Stoves and Ranges.

Furnaces, Ranges and Stoves repaired

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Pumps set and repaired. Tin Roofing

and Jobbing done at short notice

and at reasonable prices.

JAMES W. PIERCE,

CORNER OF WASHINGTON & HANCOCK STS.

QUINCY, MASS.

Jan. 1.

Mason & Hamlin Organs.

New illustrated catalogue (40 pp. 40c)

for season of 1883-4, including many new

styles; the best assortment of the best

and most attractive organs we have ever

offered, and at lowest prices. Sent free

for each, easy payments or rental. Sent free.

Mason & Hamlin Pianos.

Introducing new and important im-

provements adding to power, beauty of

tone and durability. A trial is in process of

making in St. Mary's Cemetery, West

Quincy, Oct. 29.

W. M. GILBERT,

107 1/2 Broadway,

NEW YORK.

Territorial Rights for Sale

By Counties States or the United States

Land Company work done. A family

home for sale, which I am in process of

erecting in St. Mary's Cemetery, West

Quincy, Nov. 20.

J. M. CUTTING,

Veterinary Surgeon,

Franklin St., Quincy.

All orders promptly

attended to, whether

received in person, by

mail or by telegraph.

NEW FALL

Winter Millinery,

OPEN THIS WEEK.

Comprising a nice line of

Straw and Felt

HATS AND BONNETS.

Birds, Breasts and Feathers.

Satin, Velvets, Ribbons, Flowers and

Ornaments, and many other articles in

Fancy trade, at Boston prices.

Also, the latest styles in

DRESSMAKING,

Pinking and Stamping.

— AGENT FOR —

BARRETT'S DYE HOUSE.

Hats and Bonnets, Dress and Feathers

Dyed and Curled.

MRS. L. L. PHILIP.

Hancock Street,

NEXT HOUSE TO ROBERTSON BLOCK.

Quincy, Oct. 6.

NEW

Fall and Winter Styles

MILLINERY,

— AT —

Mrs. C. E. SNOW'S.

FANCY FEATHERS,

Wings and Breasts.

New Goods Received Daily.

OLD HATS AND BONNETS

Made into the new shapes.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Cortecelli Sewing Silk,

TWIST AND FLOSSSES.

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ALL SHADES.

Embroidery Chenille.

Stamping for Kensington Binding and

Embroidery.

Worsted, Germantown and Saxony Yarns,

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MRS. C. E. SNOW

Chestnut Street,

OPPOSITE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Quincy, Nov. 3.

WINTER MILLINERY.

MISS S. H. HUSSEY

Inform the Ladies that her stock of

NEW GOODS

is large and most beautiful.

Hats and Bonnets

IN Felt.

Velvet and Fawn Goods, in all styles,

Ornate and Fancy Feathers, Breasts and

Plumes.

Velvets and Ribbons in variety; prices to

please those wishing to purchase.

P. S. Feathers Colored and Curled.

Crape trimmed like new. Hats and Bon-

nets repaired.

All orders promptly attended to, as usual.

OPPOSITE HOTEL, HANCOCK STREET.

Quincy, Oct. 27.

NO CURE! NO PAY.

DR. LAWRENCE'S COUGH BALM.

It is warranted to cure COUGHS, COLDS,

HOARSENESS, NOSE THROAT,

and all diseases of the Throat

and Lungs.

We do not claim to cure consumption when

the lungs are diseased, but we do claim that those

who use this balm will save every cent they

pay for medicine. It is a powerful cough

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity,

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Not only the ordinary kind, and cannot be sold

in competition with the multitude of low test, shoddy

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Winter Reminiscence.

The Seth Spear family Association held its annual family gathering on Tuesday evening, at Faxon Hall, between sixty and seventy members being present. Although the party was not as large as on the previous meeting, last year, yet it was well represented. Among those present were: Mr. Hiram W. Blanchard, wife and daughter-in-law from Boston; Mrs. G. Boylston Nightingale, son and daughter from Cambridge; Mr. Warren Spear, son and daughter from Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Spear and wife from Weymouth. Probably there were others from out of town whom we did not know.

The older portion of the family were represented by Mr. Ebenezer Adams and wife, Mr. John L. Souther and wife and Mr. Seth Spear and wife, and these ladies and gentlemen entered into the pleasure of the evening with as much zest as many of the younger portion.

After partaking of an excellent supper, the company proceeded to the upper hall, where a business meeting was called. After the election of officers and other business relating to the constitution and by-laws were transacted, a very pleasing entertainment, consisting of instrumental and vocal music and recitations was listened to with great pleasure. The music by the Ladies' Quartet was excellent; their little son Walter has certainly a wonderful talent. His performance on the violin was listened to with great pleasure and called forth much applause. Miss Annie March and her brother played a duet on the piano which was loudly applauded. The singing by Miss Carrie Spear was very fine; she was aided by Misses Addie, Betty and Lizzie M. Newcomb, the accompaniment was played by Mrs. F. W. Lord. Master Edison Lord rendered a fine solo on the cornet. The recitations by Master Willie Worster, Miss Eva Spear and little Annie Blake, were quite pleasing.

At the conclusion of this part of the entertainment the hall was cleared of the settlers and a few of the younger portion of the family were going gracefully over the floor, keeping time to music by the Ladies' Quartet. At an early hour the family had each other good night and separated, feeling that they had enjoyed a pleasant evening in renewing old friendships.

Gas Light Company.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' Gas Light Company, held on the 16th inst., the following officers were elected:

President, William G. Sheen.

Secretary and Treasurer, Charles A. Howland.

Directors, William G. Sheen, Theo. King, Jr., William A. Hodges, J. Henry Emery, George Halliday, Charles A. Howland and Edwin R. Pratt.

We are pleased to learn that this company is in a healthy, flourishing condition. That the amount of gas consumed by our citizens has been much larger than in former years, and that the gas manufactured by the company is of excellent quality, above the standard, and better than any turned out in Boston.

Mr. W. H. Dean has returned home from the South, having been obliged to short in his stay there by an attack of malaria fever.

Mr. James H. Slade has been quite sick with pneumonia the past week, but is now recovering.

Capt. Daniel Higgins spent the first of the week at home, leaving on Tuesday morning for Philadelphia, where he will load a cargo for the West Indies.

Mr. Joseph Linnell, whom we stated would start as an expressman, has changed his mind, and will continue in the fish business.

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Brief Locals.

Good skating.
Sleighing has disappeared.
Leap year parties are common.

Are the young ladies improving the opportunity this year?
Messrs. Eaton Bros. have filled their houses this week with splendid ice.

A party from North Weymouth visited the skating rink Wednesday evening.

Mr. Charles H. Spear commenced housing his ice crop the present week.

We intend publishing the list of marriages solemnized in Quincy during the year 1883, next week.

Mr. E. W. Underwood has started on his annual tramp, gathering the statistics of births for the year 1883.

The large and handsome estate of the late Wm. Packard on Canal street, is advertised to-day for sale or to let.

There are several cases of scarlet fever in town, and we are sorry to say that it appears to be on the increase.

A new fish market has been opened on Hancock street by Mr. Martin Nelson, whose card will be found in our columns.

All persons having bills against the Fire Department are requested to present the same to Joseph M. Glover on or before Tuesday next.

Any one having a copy of the "Rebellion Record of Quincy" to dispose of, can find a purchaser by referring to our advertising columns.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hot are visiting with their son in New York City. They have crossed the Brooklyn Bridge and have had thus far a very enjoyable time.

Some perfect, flat pussy-willows were found near the National Sailors' Home in Quincy on Tuesday last. This need not be an incentive to people to put on linen suits.

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For the Patriot.

Quincy Point Items.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. On Wednesday evening, the "jubilee" took place in the vestry of the Washington street Congregational Church, in the presence of some hundred and thirty ladies and gentlemen, and we think it would be hard to find a more social, genial gathering in any part of the town than there assembled.

Mr. Fred H. Smith, as jubilee-breaker, was all that could be desired, and made a neat opening speech, before cracking the jokes in a scientific manner. Mr. Geo. A. Sidelinger counted the contents, and Mr. Joseph L. Whiston, as treasurer of the society, received the funds. The jugs numbered twenty-seven, each was labelled with the owner's name, and the amount total (\$217.91) was highly satisfactory, many, indeed, being agreeably surprised. This sum, together with the money taken at the door for refreshments, gave a clear gain of about \$250. The following is a list of the names of jug holders, and the amount each jug contained:

Mrs. J. Feederlin, 3d.	\$8.77
L. M. Hovey,	12.22
H. M. Fetherlin,	35.28
T. B. Thomas,	3.59
P. B. Mead,	2.40
Wm. Clabuck,	2.17
T. H. Newcomb,	5.93
Eliza Hervey,	3.10
George Collier,	3.00
Clarence Sampson,	3.00
L. L. Johnson,	12.02
John Feederlin,	33.37
A. A. Harlow,	3.25
Woodbury,	3.10
Chas. Wisley,	6.11
Wm. Newcomb,	5.57
Wm. K. Woodbury,	2.52
Mrs. Amy Newcomb,	9.82
Emma Shaw,	1.26
Kate Starbuck,	2.01
E. M. Freeman,	5.25
Tessie Pomeroy,	3.50
Anna S. Mead,	5.25
Edna Lapham,	4.00
Alfred Dow,	3.30
Hosier McLean,	2.65
Mrs. F. Newcomb,	3.03

Total, \$217.91.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a social next Wednesday evening, in the vestry.

VOLUME 4.

The Volume Engine Company's ball will be given in Faxon Hall next week. The proceeds will be given to the ladies' charitable societies of Quincy; enough tickets have been taken by three members of the company to pay expenses, and it is hoped that the public will take sufficient interest in the affair to make the same a decided success, thereby insuring a goodly amount to aid in the work carried on by these societies.

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Wollaston Items.

A few days ago, while at the depot waiting for the "iron horse," "Newport" overheard the following conversation: "I shall certainly advise my son to settle here." "Why?" "Because you all seem to be wide awake here, which is as necessary to the success of the place as a fine locality." Now it seems to the writer that there is a great deal of truth in the above remarks, and he often thinks that the good times that are ever being planned by our citizens, furnishes not only those who attend a great deal of pleasure, but seem to spread far and wide the fact that Wollaston is a live locality.

Some have asked, where was "Newport" last week; well, he was away. Since my last, the Knights of Honor have had a public installation of their officers, and all accounts say it was up to the standard.

On Friday evening, January 11, the third in the course of dances took place in Wollaston Hall, and like the others, was well attended, and "what a jolly time" was had, especially in recent years. As late as the sixteenth century, all the instruments used in England for putting out fire were water syringes, or "hand squirts," which were operated by three men. The hand engines, or "tubs," of the firemen came next, and in the recollection of many have come into general use the steam engine and chemical, the latter being patented in 1870. It was in 1876, he said, when the good people of Wollaston, alarmed by the frequency of fires in their little village, decided protection, and it was then the chemical now known as the "L. W. Lovell Chemical Engine, No. 1," was purchased. In November of the same year the company was organized as follows:

Forman—John M. Call.
1st Engineer—J. A. Faunce.
2d Engineer—H. O. Fairbanks.
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2d Engineer—Isaac White.
Leading Hoseman—W. C. Seelye.
Assistant Hoseman—H. T. Whitman.
Steward—A. G. Olney.
Clerk and Treasurer—S. T. Dame.
The remainder of the company acted as bucket-men, and were as follows:
Ebenezer H. Sanborn, A. A. Lincoln, Jr., Chas. H. Newman, Daniel Lincoln, Daniel C. Russell, Geo. F. Pinkham, Joseph W. Lovell, Francis L. Hayes, Charles T. Baker, Richard Polson.
The company attended its first fire Dec. 10, 1876, it being the Dittmar's Duolin Manufacturing at Atlantic. The only accident of a serious nature that has happened in any of the company's history, was on May 20, 1878, at the burning of the house owned by Eleazer Frederick, on Hancock street, next to Mr. Charles C. Brackett's.

The company has had in all fifty-five members and three commanders, John M. Call, who served three years and resigned; Joshua D. Robbins, who served one year and declined a re-election; and W. C. Seelye, who is now on his fourth year. It has answered to sixty-eight alarms of fire, and has always been ready to do its full share of work.

Wollaston should feel safe with such an efficient body of men, ready at a moment's notice to render needed assistance.

The best engineers and experts have testified to the superior practicality and safety of his roads and rolling stock, so far as they could judge from working models.

But it is said that Meigs' system is so good, why don't you run a road on three rails along some barren shore away from human habitation? If successful, then we will believe him, and the Legislature will grant him a charter.

Meigs is a poor man. What capitalist will advance \$100,000 to a mere experiment. Why not treat a system so well backed by the testimony of engineers—a system which promises to give to the public safe, rapid, cheap and comfortable travel,—why not treat it as leniently as a Cape Cod Canal or a Hoosier Tunnel. The cry of certain railway corporations, speaking through a few house-owners in the city, about obstructing light, etc., is "too thin." If any dam is done to house property in this way, the owners can have the same redress that other owners are liable to.

The fact is simply this: It is a road for the people, and the people are going to have it.

PUBLIC HEALTH. There will be a public hearing at the State House on Wednesday next, Jan. 23d, at 10:30 A. M., before the legislative committee on Public Health, for the purpose of considering a bill to amend an act relating to the pollution of Boston's water supply. This is a very important matter and needs a careful attention. The object is to pass a law which will better protect sources of water supply, and to prevent the use of any subject that interests nearly every citizen, to a greater or less extent, and particularly at the present time the citizens of Quincy, as they are to be supplied with water by a company, our townsmen, Hon. Wm. A. Hodges, on this committee, and we believe he will be found a very able member.

Harp's Magazine for February, a strong number in both its literary and artistic features. The two serials, William Blake's "Judith Shakespeare," and the Rev. E. P. Roe's "Nature's Story," have a commanding interest. The frontispiece engraving, from Abbey's drawing, "The Bible Reading," is an illustration for Blake's novel; and both Deelman and Gibson have done their best work for "Nature's Story." Quincy is in Quincy at Southern's periodical store.

The President has issued a proclamation suggesting the propriety of commemorating the 100th anniversary of the surrender by Washington of his commission.

It is reported from Washington that a plan is to be submitted to Congress for the pensioning of every soldier of the late war, whether suffering injury or not.

The largest and finest bridge in America is at Cabin John Bridge, six miles from Washington, over the Potomac river. The name of the bridge is left blank on the inscription. It was Jefferson Davis.

The Capitola Waltzes for piano, by Emil Auerbach, are simply elegant. See special notice of new music in advertisement on this page.

For the Patriot.

Commissioners' Meeting.

The County Commissioners of the several counties of the State held a meeting at the Quincy House, in Boston, on Thursday, to talk on matters of general interest and importance to the various counties throughout the State, thereby enabling them to do the business in a more satisfactory manner, and at less expense to the counties. Some of them complained of the exorbitant prices charged by publishers for road notices, etc.

The Commissioners of Norfolk County have decided to publish their annual statement of county affairs in but three papers in the county; instead of all papers, as has been the custom in former times; yet the county is free of debt, and its treasury is loaded with money, waiting only the pocket of the office holders. We think if the poor county publishers, as a general thing, had one half as much pay for the labor they performed for the county, as the county officers, they could afford occasionally a turkey dinner.

It would cost the citizens of Quincy one mill each, if the receipts and expenditures for the County of Norfolk for 1883 were published in the town paper, and they had to pay the bill. Now, the question is, would not the citizens of Quincy and other towns, interested in their county affairs, rather pay ten times this amount and know where the county money is going? We think they would.

We believe that there is nothing worse for the town or county than to keep the tax-payers in ignorance of how the money is expended.

Polo at Brockton.

On the 15th anniversary of the birth of Robert Bruce will be celebrated in the TOWN HALL, QUINCY, Friday Eve'g, Jan. 25th.

Under the auspices of CLAN MCGREGOR and the Quincy Dramatic Club, a grand entertainment and dance, the famous Scotch Drama entitled "Rob Roy, or Auld Lang Syne," will be presented by an Amateur Dramatic Club, which has been organized under this clan. The management takes pleasure in announcing to the public that great efforts have been made for the enjoyment of all.

The entertainment will begin at 7:30, and continue until 10:30. Tickets to be had of the members of the clan.

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Closed his Old Store

ON TEMPLE STREET,

Last Evening, January 18th.

HE CAN BE FOUND AT HIS

New Store, on Hancock St.

Quincy, Jan. 19. 1w

FISH MARKET.

THE undersigned wishes to announce to the people of Quincy that he has opened a Market at

No. 44 Hancock Street,

Quincy, where he will keep constantly on hand all kinds of Fish, including cod, haddock, mackerel, and other fish, and also, Oysters and Clams. Also, Butter, Cheese and Eggs, and by fair dealing hopes to gain your patronage.

Yours, respectfully,

MARTIN NELSON.

Quincy, Jan. 25. 2w

NEW MUSIC.

Special Offer. Capital Waltzes, Op. 10, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Price, 25 Cents.

For sale at the

Public Library.

The following is a list of the new books recently added to the Thomas Clark Library in this town:

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Old Colony Railroad.

 DEPOT CORNER OF SOUTH AND KNEELAND STREETS, BOSTON.
 On and after Oct. 15th, 1883. Trains
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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JAN. 19, 1884.

Have You Ever Thought?

Did you ever well consider,
As you journey on life's way,
Of the vast result impending
On the things you do and say?
Have you ever heeded the magic
Treasured in one little word,
Fits spoken, wisely chosen,
How it lingers in the air?

And a soul almost desponding,
New, fresh inspiration caught,
Grasped an idea's heavy burden,
By your bright example taught?
How a cold and icy barrier,
Like a northern wintry blast,
Brings a bright where once was gloom,
Heaven's own blue is overcast?

Possibilities of greatness
May be crushed by ruthless hand?
Every aspiration withered,
Ere it ventures to expand?
And the grandeur of a lifetime
May be smothered in its bloom
For the lack of proper culture,
And a good, sunny home?

Then don't cast those trifling matters,
That you deem of little worth,
Words will not out as a causer,
Life at last has been a loss.
All our actions, words and manners,
With responsibilities are rife,
For in each soul is hidden
An advanced in higher life.

Farm and Garden.

Enslilage.

New York, Jan. 14, 1884.

To the Publishers of the Patriot:

Having noticed in a recent number

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"My own experience shows not only a larger (50 per cent.) profit, but that the system is adapted to the very smallest farmer. I have two cows on a piece of ground in New York city of four acres. A stony half-acre was covered with drought-killed corn. It cost me ten dollars to get that half-acre plowed by a neighboring contractor; one dollar more for a half-bushel of the best kind of Southern seed corn. The rest of the work was done by the family horse and the garden. The crop never saw a drop of rain, and before it made any ears it began to fade, like a consumptive girl, it grew whiter day by day. But the silo was ready. It was like a bank, single thick, not even made of second-hand one-inch boards, in the collar beneath the stable, cost ten dollars. It will hold ten tons, but I only had half that amount. Dropped in from above, taken out from below. I was a week, purpose, in ensilaging that small crop; my two boys brought in the mowed stalks from the cutter in hand-carts, and trampled the silo each morning and night. It was cut one inch. It was very hot when the cover and twenty pounds to the square inch was put on, but it cooled off very quickly; in twenty-four hours could feed the family well. Every one is astonished to see how the cut maize shrinks under pressure, as it gives up its elasticity. The effect upon the milking cow (ten months) was to increase two pounds a day, or ten per cent. It saved me two tons of hay, at twenty-dollars per ton." F. R. L.

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Fashion Notes.

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

As a special benediction to a pretty neck, we find the low corsage revived once more, and as after a famine one looks for a feast, so now that Fashion permits it, there are a few pretty necks not on exhibition. A choice between the round and square low is given, but as the former requires positive perfection as to shoulders, the latter is seen most frequently. A cunning device of filling in with tulle or gauze, and many a neck which would do anything but credit to the owner, when thus becoming veiled yet half exhibited, takes on a transformation of adorableness. Adolphus, while worshipping that neck, sees the arms of his Divinity showing dimly likewise through gauzy veillings gotten up to match, and thus belated they doubtless likewise seem all that arms ought to be. A stout chaperone is likely to possess a prettier neck and shoulders than a thin one, but a frowning society might wish their many shoulders if they were shown too plainly, so here again is an opportunity for coverings of gossamer, but fine lace, whether black or white, does frequent duty here, because less apt to give increase of amplitude. Many ball dresses have been made entirely of tulle or gauze, but striking combinations are produced by velvet, while a low velvet corsage, with the remainder of diaphanous material, is greatly in favor.

HOLIDAY TOILETTES.

Mrs. William Astor wore at a holiday reception a dress of dark tulle and brocade and satin encircled with the colored embroidery to match, the front skirt of satin gathered with deep cord and bows of ribbons half way across and bands of embroidery set on lengthwise. A gathered satin plastron with high collar, full bodice, full sleeves, broadened puffed and elbow sleeves. Mrs. Paron Stevens, a choice of maroon velvet, the front and sides of rich, self-colored brocade velvet cut in slopes at the lower end, and with a fringe of chenille loops, falling over a plaiting of plain velvet. A plain velvet train; corsage high, with vest of satin plaited and prolonged to form a train; draped at the neck, and with a fringe of chenille loops, falling over a plaiting of plain velvet. A plain velvet train; corsage high, with vest of satin plaited and prolonged to form a train; draped at the neck, and with a fringe of chenille loops, falling over a plaiting of plain velvet.

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Quincy Water Company.

This Company has so far completed its labors as to be able, the latter part of next week, to begin to supply certain portions of Quincy with water. Fourteen miles of pipe are laid, and ten miles are connected ready for use. Seventy-eight houses have service pipes connected, and we learn there are one hundred more houses from which applications for connections have been received.

Fires were started under the boilers several days since, and one pump of 2,000,000 gallons' capacity has been placed in position, ready to start the first of next week. It will take several days to raise out the pipes and see that everything is in good working order before the Company will attempt to supply customers.

A stand-pipe, or reservoir, has been erected on Penn's Hill, at an elevation of 200 feet above tide level. It is sixty feet high, and thirty-five feet in diameter, and has a capacity of 400,000 gallons. It will give the Company a head of 200 feet at the Town Hall, and 134 feet at the top of Wollaston Heights. The town has contracted with the Company for eighty-five hydrants at a cost of \$2,500 per year. There will be force enough, it is believed, to throw water from the hydrants over any house in Quincy.

Some twenty-five prominent citizens of the town met at the Lyceum Room on Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing the subject, and if some steps could not be taken whereby a majority of the stock of the Company would be held by wealthy citizens of Quincy, instead of non-residents.

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Peck's Bad Boy.

A young man, who gave his name as George Harris, called at Mr. David B. Stetson's store, in Quincy, on Monday evening last, and said he would like to get some rubbers. After selecting a good pair of long rubber boots, a pair of overalls and a pair of gloves, amounting to between seven and eight dollars, he said Mr. Stetson would pay for them. Being a stranger, he did not deliver goods on a verbal order, and the young man said he would go and get a written order. He was gone fifteen or twenty minutes, and returned with the following order, which we give our readers, *verbatim*:

Quincy, Jan. 26th, 1883.
MR. STETSON:
Please let this young man have what he wishes, and I will call in and pay him in a day or two. If he does not show up, I will call in and pay him. Yours truly,
George Harris.

On receiving this order the goods, which were done up, were delivered to the rogue, and he departed. He had hardly left the store before the shopkeeper began to mistrust the order. The more he examined it, the more he felt all was not right, and it was taken to Mr. Henry H. Faxon, who said he had not given an order to anyone.

Official Furnal was immediately notified, who began to make investigations, and on Wednesday morning the "bad boy" was brought into the court room. He pleaded guilty to a charge of obtaining goods under false pretences, and the case was continued one day to give the officer a chance to learn what had been done with the goods of the young man in other places. As he had been recently married, and no bad reports were received from the place he formerly resided, the judge allowed him to depart on payment of \$5 and costs.

Probably "Harris" would not have been permitted to depart so easily, but Mr. Stetson, learning that he was poor, had compassion on him, and believing this to be the case, he had him taken to his bed, and asked Judge Humphrey to be as lenient as possible.

Dreadful Disaster.

The fearful accident which befell the steamer City of Columbia, one of a line of passenger and freight steamers, plying between Savannah and Boston, on Friday morning of last week, by running on a rock off Gay Head, Martha's Vineyard, and the loss of the vessel and the lives of many of the crew, is a sad and sorrowful event to a great many homes. By this accident upwards of one hundred persons perished, a large number of whom were women and children.

The disaster happened near "devil's bridge," a submerged reef making out from Gay Head. The vessel struck on the rock in the early hour of the morning. The moon was shining, and the weather was clear. At the time of the accident a stiff breeze was blowing from a little south of west, and the light-house at Gay Head was clearly seen. The steamer was in charge of the second mate, who was among the lost, so that no statement from him can throw any light upon the mysterious event which has shrouded so many homes with gloom.

The revenue cutter Dexter, being in the vicinity, hurried to the rescue after the morning broke, and her boats, and life-boats from the shore, were instrumental in saving all who were rescued, and bringing off many of the dead bodies. Among the lost were Mrs. Mary and daughter, of Boston. This lady's husband was the son of the late Joseph Bell, of Quincy, and brother to Mrs. Eliza Packard, of this town.

On Thursday, divers made the discovery that the steamers had been carried off, and nothing but the bare shell of the steamer remains. The diver also found the steamer lying by a large rock, which had unmistakable signs of having had a large piece split off from it by a terrible blow, the hole in the Columbus' stem corresponding to the projection of the rock; and part of her keel had also been carried off.

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Rainy weather.

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We are pleased to see Dr. F. W. Peckey out again after his recent sickness.

Mrs. Esther Hunt, of Braintree, has our thanks for late Washington papers.

There was a dramatic entertainment, "Rob Roy," and a dance at the Town Hall, last evening, by Clam Mc Gregor.

Madame Arcan's dancing school for young ladies and gentlemen closed last evening with a soiree at Faxon Hall.

Miss Mabel G. French is home for a few weeks, having been with her sister at Brattleboro, Vt., several months.

Among the graduates of the Bridgewater Normal School, on Wednesday, was Miss Nellie F. Kendall, of Atlantic.

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NEW SUPERINTENDENT. The Selectmen have engaged Mr. John M. Fox, late superintendent of the Braintree almshouse, as superintendent of the Quincy Home, in place of Mr. George A. Ordway, resigned.

Mr. Fox is said to be an excellent man for the place and comes highly recommended. He will enter on his duties February 1.

GUIDE TO BOSTON. Messrs. Macaulay, Parker & Co., proprietors of the princely clothing house in Boston, have published a neat little book with the above title. It contains an alphabetical list of the names and places of interest in Boston. The information is given in a very concise form, and also gives the lines of horse cars to certain localities. It is quite valuable, as it can be carried in the pocket without inconvenience. Among its statistics there are to be found the different hotels, the names of all the mayors to the present one, the branches of the public library, the post office stations, and much useful and interesting reading.

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Expenses of Quincy.

We are furnished by the Selectmen, from copy prepared for the Town Report, the following figures, which show the town's expenses for the year ending Feb. 1, 1884, to be about \$97,000, as follows:

Fire Department, -	\$7,022.16
Purchase of new horse, -	900.00
Fire alarm at Point, -	337.18
Willard St., -	75.00
Reservoir, Contest Ave., -	450.00
Removal of horse house, -	170.00
Alteration of steamer house, -	207.75
Support of Poor, -	7,204.07
Miscellaneous expenses, -	2,015.27
Pay of two officers, -	3,723.00
Monument Cemetery, -	892.62
Town Hall, -	12.96
Police Station, -	338.25
Repairs of highways and Linden street, -	10,958.56
Street Lights, -	3,652.26
Removal of snow, -	1,111.26
Widening Hancock and Chestnut streets, -	299.00
Neponset Bridge, -	1,205.04
Hingham and Quincy Bridges, -	1,387.50
State Aid to indigent soldiers, -	367.50
Support of Schools, -	41,133.72
Repairs of town buildings, -	36.30
Thomas Crane Library, -	4,303.88
Outbuildings, etc., at almshouse, -	839.94
Old Cemetery, -	190.52
Decoration of soldiers' graves, -	39.00
Sinking Fund, -	49.21
Real estate bought in for taxes, -	4,291.62
Discounts and abatements, -	4,761.62

On hand in Sinking Fund, \$13,560.54
Note to be paid Mar. 23, 1884, 20,000.00
Reduction of net town debt, 13,683.60
Present net town debt, 4,234.40

Collector's Account.

The following is Mr. George H. Locke's statement as Collector of Taxes in Quincy for the past year:

Amount of warrant, -	\$116,829.23
Cash paid Treasurer, -	\$105,307.68
Discount, -	3,738.00
Abatement, -	960.38
Unpaid, -	6,822.57
Total, -	\$116,829.23

Quincy, Feb. 2, 1884.

An Important Case.

Dennis Ford, of West Quincy, who was arrested last week by Officer Fernald, on complaint of Commonwealth, for an assault, and whose case was continued, was before the Court on Tuesday morning. The affair caused immense excitement, and the district court room was crowded by those who felt an interest in it.

Many females in Quincy, for the past few years, have had their cloaks and dresses nearly ruined by some person wickedly throwing some vile compound upon them as they passed along the streets. But as no arrests were made the evil continued, and hundreds of dollars worth of clothing was injured. Many felt pained when they learned that Mr. Ford had been arrested, and expressed a wish that he should be severely punished, if found guilty. Ford had many friends present who hoped that something might be said in court to show that he was not the guilty party, but the Judge, after having carefully examined numerous witnesses found the defendant guilty and fined him \$20 and costs, amounting to \$34.

The Charter Granted.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts held its semi-annual meeting in Boston on Thursday, Grand Master Cochrane of Fall River and one hundred and thirty-two members were admitted. The report of the Grand Master showed Odd Fellowship to be in a prosperous condition. The committee on Charters reported in favor of the restoration of the charter formerly held by Mt. Wollaston Lodge, No. 80, of Quincy, and the Grand Lodge adopted said recommendation. Charters were also granted for lodges in Middleboro and Maynard. Other business of importance to Odd Fellows was transacted.

So confident were the petitioners for the return of the charter of Mt. Wollaston Lodge, that they have gone forward and nearly completed arrangements for instituting, although the date will be three weeks from now. Wilson's new hall has been decided on as the location, and already the carpenters have been busy putting in platforms, etc. The committee on supplies have visited Boston several times, and are now preparing to give orders for the necessary paraphernalia and furniture. Much enthusiasm is shown, and doubtless a good lodge will be the result.

BIRTH STATISTICS. During the year 1883 there were 371 births in the town of Quincy. The smallest number of these births occurred in January, there being but nineteen, thirteen of the number being boys. The largest number of births was in May, there being in August, when fifty-two young Quincies made their debut; of this number thirty-six were boys. During the month of June there was an increase of forty, the sexes being nearly equally divided. Six houses were badly smothered, having been built with twins,—nine boys and three girls. The males predominated throughout the year. The year preceding (1882) there were 326. September had the largest number, and May the smallest. In 1881 there were but 280. The population is fast increasing.

If any errors should be found in the list, by notifying the Town Clerk at once, corrections will be made.

LEVEE. At the Town Hall, Quincy, on Wednesday evening next, a very fine entertainment will take place. The Universalist Society has engaged an excellent company from Hingham, who will give George M. Baker's drama in two acts, entitled "Above the Clouds," and the farce by John Madison Morton, "A Regular Fix." These pieces have recently been performed in Hingham, so says the *Journal*, to full houses, giving much pleasure and satisfaction. We have no doubt that a full house will greet them, and enjoy an evening most pleasantly. There will be for sale ice cream, cake, pastry of all kinds, chowders, and all the good things that help make it one of the leading events of the season. For full particulars see advertisement.

We were pleased to see Mr. Jeffrey B. Brackett, in his accustomed place at Church on Sunday last.

Brief Locals.

Next Thursday is St. Valentine's day.

Friday was a cold, disagreeable day.

February came in mild and spring-like.

Universalist Levee, next Wednesday.

The net town debt of Quincy is \$4,234.40.

A capable cook and one for general household advertise for situations.

A buffalo robe was lost on Sunday last in the vicinity of Quincy Adams depot.

The entertainment of the Golden Cross to be given at Faxon Hall on Wednesday evening, has been postponed to Tuesday the 19th inst.

The regular monthly session of Probate Court will be held on Wednesday next, at 9 o'clock, at Town House.

The streets were fearfully icy on Tuesday last. Several of our city men who were unable to keep their feet sat down rather heavily.

The last half term of Madam Arant's juvenile dancing class at Faxon Hall will commence next Saturday Feb. 16th, at 10.30 A. M., when new pupils will be received.

The Water Company has not commenced supplying customers with water as yet, owing to leaks in tank and pipes, etc., incidental to starting an undertaking of this magnitude.

Mr. and Mrs. William Creed, parents of Mrs. John O. Hall, who have been visiting their daughter for the past few weeks, returned to their home in Cohasset on Friday.

Miss Sarah Corkery wishes us to contradict the report that she chased Dennis Ford, who was arrested and fined for throwing vile liquids on ladies garments while passing along the street.

The topic of the Rev. Mr. Wilson's discourse next Sunday will be the "True Peace," in which the ideas and aims of the late Wendell Phillips will be illustrated. The public are cordially invited.

The list of births occupies nearly five columns of the first page of this issue. This completes the vital statistics for the year 1883, and we shall have more space to devote to our correspondents.

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Mr. Charles H. Hardwick, Miss Lizzie, his daughter and Mr. Cutler Hardwick, left their homes on Wednesday last for a trip to Nassau, New Providence. They are intending to visit Trinidad and Cuba while absent.

Mr. James Chipman has purchased of Mr. James W. Pierce his stock of goods, and will carry on the store and live business at the old stand, in Pierce's block, as our readers will notice by an advertisement in our columns.

We are in receipt of a very pretty song, set to music, entitled, "Oh where have the old folks gone?" The words are by Walter A. Faxon. It is published by Perry & Noble, of New Bedford. Price 40 cents. For sale by all newsdealers.

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THE NEW LODGE. The Odd Fellows are pushing forward towards instituting. The date has not yet been decided on, but it will probably be an early one. The carpenters have nearly completed their labors in the hall; the frescoers are at work on the walls; and the carpet and furniture are about ready to be put in. The hall is of good size, and when furnished as it is intended to be, it will be one of the coziest and most beautiful in the State.

RUNAWAY. Last Monday morning, Dr. Donovan was about to enter his carriage in front of Robertson's block, the horse became restless and started to run, the doctor was thrown to the sidewalk, and the horse had all his own way, and with lightning speed rushed up Hancock street. When near Mr. John Hall's building he collided with Mr. W. H. French's heavy wagon and completely demolished the doctor's buggy. With the exception of the carriage, no further damage was done.

PRESENTATION. Mr. John F. Desmond, the popular conductor on the East Milton branch of the Old Colony railroad, was the recipient, recently, of a nice gold watch from his friends in East Milton and West Quincy. The presentation was made by Mr. A. A. Brackett, and the watch was valued at \$100.

SURPRISE PARTY. On Monday evening a party of ladies and gentlemen to the number of forty surprised Mrs. Joseph Walker on Water street. A most enjoyable time was spent with speeches, recitations and songs. About 12 o'clock they sat down to a most sumptuous supper, to which all did ample justice. At this point Mrs. Walker was presented with a magnificent parlor lamp of the latest design. The recipient accepted the present and thanked the donors in a most felicitous speech. After this dancing was enjoyed until a pretty late hour, when the company dispersed with many happy wishes to Mrs. Walker. All acknowledged that it was one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

DECEASED. Rev. Edmund Burke Whittier, a native of Quincy, died on Thursday, at his residence in Jamaica Plain. He was the youngest son of the late Rev. Peter Whittier, a former pastor of the Unitarian Church of this town. Early in life he went from his home in Quincy to Boston, where he spent some years in the gun establishment of William Reed & Son, and afterwards with George H. Gray & Co., hardware dealers; subsequently filling in succession the positions of secretary and president of the Franklin Insurance Company. The deceased was universally esteemed by those who knew him in all the relations of life, for his admirable qualities and character. Mr. Whittier was a man of unblemished character and highest moral convictions. His life, though uneventful, was yet full of deeds of kindness and affection.

DARING ROBBERY. As Mr. Charles H. Batcher, engineer at Messrs. Churchill & Hickock's granite works, was returning to his home early last Monday evening, he was assaulted by four men when near Messrs. Thomas & Owen's granite works, on Granite street, who overpowered and robbed him until he was incapable, when they robbed him of his pocket-book, containing twenty-two dollars.

PROHIBITORY CONVENTION. The constitutional prohibitory convention which was held in the Tremont Temple, Boston, on Tuesday last week, was attended by five hundred and thirty-seven delegates from the different temperance societies of the State. The collection of funds amounted to \$4170. When the business of the day was concluded, Mr. Faxon proposed to give \$5 for every \$5 subscription received until he should cry enough. It raised \$5 bills, but Mr. Faxon did not finish, and his subscription for the day reached more than \$900. A lively campaign is promised this year, and legislative candidates will be supported or opposed on this issue.

State Legislature.

There has been a large number of petitions before the Legislature this week. Among them we noticed one by Wm. G. A. Pattee, Esq., that of Murray M. C. Chubbuck and others, for legislation to authorize the town of Quincy to pay each of five men who served in the quota of the town during the late war a bounty of \$125.

A petition of W. L. Faxon and others was also presented by Mr. Pattee for a revision of taxation in Massachusetts.

A petition from Mr. Clark Smallwood and eighty-three others, for a law to fix the time for Thanksgiving and Fast Day.

The Committee on Drainage reported leave to withdraw on the petition of John C. Russell and others, for incorporation for the purpose of providing a system of sewerage for the town of Quincy.

In the Senate, on Tuesday, a resolve providing for such an amendment to the constitution that state elections and sessions of the Legislature shall be held but once in two years was passed by a vote of 22 to 4. Hon. Wm. A. Hodges, of Quincy, voted in favor of the amendment.

Mr. J. Edward Spear has our thanks for late Cincinnati papers.

Did he send you a valentine?

Town meeting is near at hand.

The streets have been fearfully muddy this week.

Mr. George S. Paterson is in the south on a business trip.

Last Sunday was a very mild and pleasant day. It was quite spring-like.

It took ten bags to bring the first mail from Boston last Monday morning.

Clapp Bros. have a fine assortment of superior corsets, which they offer for sale.

It is rumored that the hall in the Robertson House is to be opened for a skating rink.

There were 2315 names on the Quincy voting list which has just been printed at this office.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John A. Wood is lying quite dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Rev. R. T. Sawyer delivered an able eulogy on the late Wendell Phillips, on Sunday morning last.

Mr. Frederick Southard has a fine piano in excellent condition, which he is desirous of selling.

Friday next being a holiday, advertisements must be handed in by Thursday morning to insure insertion.

Lanterns at night and barrels in the daytime give warning to the travelers where leaks in the water pipes can be found.

Next Tuesday evening the Order of the Golden Cross, will hold its entertainment, and a general good time may be expected.

Joseph W. Lombard will sell at auction, next Tuesday forenoon, the household furniture belonging to the late William H. Packard.

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Dr. I. Farrar, a physician of thorough professional training is to lecture at Faxon Hall on the "Laws of Health," particulars will be given next week.

On the first page of this issue will be found a very interesting letter from our New York correspondent on the different modes of conveyance in that city.

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The stockholders of the Dorchester and Milton Branch railroad held their annual meeting at the Boston station of the Old Colony Railroad Company, on Wednesday next.

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New pupils will be received to-day in Madam Arcan's juvenile class, at Faxon Hall, it being the beginning of the last half term of her dancing class.

The copartnership heretofore existing between Messrs. E. & W. E. Brown has been dissolved, and the business will be continued at the old stand, corner of Washington and Hancock streets, by Mr. W. E. Brown.

The question of placing a lady upon the school board agitated the Republican town committee of Quincy at its meeting Thursday evening. Mrs. F. A. Chaffin is prominently mentioned for the position.

A party of young ladies and gentlemen of this town visited the skating rink at Weymouth on Tuesday evening, and had a most enjoyable time. The music furnished for the occasion was excellent, and they came away much pleased with the Weymouth rink.

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Quincy people will listen to a stirring temperance argument and appeal next Sunday evening, at seven o'clock in the auditorium of the Universalist church, by Rev. Mrs. Ada C. Bolles, agent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, who will deliver a lecture on the "Modern Hydra." All cordially invited.

A series of temperance meetings are soon to be held in Quincy. The first to be held on Sunday evening, Feb. 24th, at which Charles A. Foster will preside, and short addresses are expected from Theophilus King, Jr., Rev. Edward Norton, William G. Sheen, Rev. D. M. Wilson, John H. Dee, Rev. R. T. Sawyer and E. H. Dewson. More full particulars will be given next week.

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Universalist Service.

One of the best leaves by the Universalist Society which has been the pleasure of our citizens to enjoy for some years, took place on Wednesday evening. Owing to the storm and adverse traveling, the hall was not crowded, between four and five hundred were present, and all had a good opportunity to see, hear and enjoy themselves.

The dramatic entertainment by members of the Universalist Society of Hingham, was excellent, and received favorable comments on all sides. Scarcely have we seen better performing by amateurs. They had their parts well learned and spoke up loud and distinct, so that they could be heard in all parts of the house. The audience were quiet and seemed to greatly enjoy both the drama and farce.

The music by Porter's band of Brockton was, as usual, the very best, and was much enjoyed between the parts of the entertainment, and by those who engaged in dancing. There was an abundance of room on the floor and the dancers had a good opportunity to have a jolly time.

Funeral Obsequies in Weymouth.

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The religious services were conducted by Rev. Lucien H. Fray, and were of a very impressive character, paying a fitting tribute to the moral worth and noble, genial bearing of the deceased, which was clearly shown by the very large number gathered, to pay their last tribute of respect. Music was furnished by a double quartette, Miss S. M. Blanchard, organist. The pulpit was decorated, and the singers' seats and gallery, by the choir, of which the deceased was an esteemed member.

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While making preparations for the journey northward, the question was fully considered whether or not, it would be for the best, to have and request others whose knowledge is so great, as to the proper phrases to be used, in writing these little articles as well as on other occasions, to favor us by reporting in their way, the items of interest during our absence.

Anticipating however a week of pleasure, and hoping to find an opportunity to write a short article, giving an account of the festivities that were to fall to our lot, it was decided to lay the idea on the table for the present.

The K. & L. of H. really enjoyed the officers of the New York Lodge on Tuesday evening last, and the visitors departed, vowing Woodbine Lodge one of the best in the State, certainly, if rumor is correct, they do take the lead in providing good suppers, and one of these days "Newport" hopes to be asked to send in an application.

By the way, we heard the following question asked in the train this morning, and it may not be out of place:

Why are the supporters of the K. & L. of H. called "slaps" and "suppers"? Why, because the gentlemen *supper* up for them and the ladies *slap* for them. Sorry if it was one of the minstrel jokes.

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For the Patriot.

The real estate market is beginning to put on a brighter aspect than it has worn for several weeks past. There is an eager demand for office and tenements, and purchasers of down town property are numerous, when anything really valuable is offered. The conveyances for January amounted to over three thousand dollars more than in January, 1883; while the recorded mortgages foot up nearly two thousand dollars less.

The rapid transit commissioners, who have been in session since last December, have just decided on the selection of some of the new routes proposed for elevated steam and cable roads about the city. If these selections are ever made practical, New York will exhibit a perfect network of roads, many of which will doubtless take the place of the present horse-car lines. The commissioners have yet sixty days in which to decide what sort of roads shall be constructed, to create a corporation and receive subscriptions. They are to receive under the act by which they were appointed, ten dollars a day and expenses, the amount to be paid out of the capital stock of the company to be formed.

The pay and hours of work of New York horse-car conductors are being agitated to a considerable degree. They now get but twenty-two cents for each round trip, but are allowed to run as many a day as they can; consequently they are worked very hard, as the majority of them will, for the extra few cents, work from 7 A. M. to 10:30 P. M., or later.

To show that justice is not altogether dead in New York, it is refreshing to notice the conviction of Billy McGorry, a noted sporting man who was lately arrested for allowing intoxicating liquors to be sold by his employees on his property without a license. He was sentenced to six months on the island, notwithstanding much influence, and probably bribery, which was brought to bear in his behalf.

Last Monday a flock of blue-birds was seen over in New Jersey, flying in a light fall of snow. They seemed to be searching for a place to alight, but everything was so covered with snow that they at last flew towards the South. These heralds of Spring springing in the air before the first of March, and will be gladly welcomed on their return.

W. L. M.

MILTON. The forty-seventh annual town report has just been issued, and contains the following statistics: Value of personal property, \$2,841,012; real estate, \$5,989,000; number of polls, 816; and the rate of taxation is \$5 on \$1000. The estimated appropriations for the expense of running the town are \$58,150, of which \$19,300 is for schools and \$15,000 for the highway department. The death rate for the year 1883 is the smallest for the past twenty-five years. There were 38 marriages, 68 births and 60 deaths.

Charles Broaden of Milton, was found dead in his barn by his daughter on Tuesday morning. He resided in Scott's Woods, and was a member of C. F. 18th Massachusetts Infantry.

BOSTON THEATRE.

The following complimentary notice of Miss Margaret Mather, who has been performing very successfully at the Theatre, is from the pen of one of the oldest and most capable English actors, Mr. John Townshead, who is now living in retirement in the Dominion.

"I cannot refrain from expressing my great admiration for Miss Mather's Juliet. During the last fifty years I have seen nearly all the Juliets of note, including Miss Helen Fanciel (Lady Theodore Martin) Mrs. Charles Keen, Emmeline Montague, Susan Keen, and a host of others. Miss Mather's Juliet, in grace, personal charm, poise, refinement, and well-learned elocution, is worthy of great commendation, and will, to my thinking, bear favorable comparison with any I have seen. It promises, ere long, to outshine them all. Whether in the passionate scenes of love, rage, tenderly or despair, Miss Mather was fully equal to the occasion, and won all hearts by the perfection of her acting. A brilliant career is before this talented and accomplished young lady."

BONDS FOR BANKS. There will be considerable earnest support in Congress the present session for a somewhat limited grade that can be found in the issue of a long term bond at a low rate of interest, to be used solely as the basis for a circulation. This has much to recommend it. It would secure the present banking system for the period of which the money is loaned, say twenty years, and it cannot be denied that that would be a positive and substantial advantage. Nor would it be difficult to negotiate such bonds in the present condition of the money market, at rates which would be profitable both for the government and the banks.—*Milford Journal*.

Sunday Services.

FIRST CHURCH (Unitarian). Rev. D. M. Wilson, minister. Church services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. Sabbath School at 11:45 A. M. Service of praise and sermon at 7 P. M.

Prayer and conference meeting every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

M. E. CHURCH, WEST QUINCY. Rev. F. Furber, pastor. Sunday services at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday school at 12 M.; Evening meeting at 6:30 P. M. Class meeting at 8 P. M. by Rev. Mr. Sawyer, at the residence of the subscriber, for particulars.

FREDERICK SOUTHER. 2w

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TWO Splendid Work Horses. Will sell the two for \$100. A rare bargain. Inquire at F. J. FULLER, West Quincy, Dec. 8.

A Reminiscence.

DEAR PATRIOT:—I find the following query among the "Notes and Queries" in last Monday's Transcript. On insertion in your columns may, perhaps, bring a more complete answer than I would suggest that reply be made to PATRIOT office, and published in your paper, as there may be residents of Quincy who would be glad to know the facts about such an item.

Yours, G. T. E.

About fifty years ago I visited Quincy to see the then only railroad in the United States. It was in successful operation, conveying stone from the quarries to the Neponset River. At the terminus of the road, near the quarries was a monument built of granite, about fifty feet high, with a staircase inside leading to the top, and it is my impression it was erected by the town of Quincy. It has not been there for many years. What was it erected to commemorate, and why was it destroyed?

H. G.

District Court, Quincy.

The following criminal cases have been disposed of at the court-room this week:

Thomas A. Kelley, of Weymouth, for an assault on Charles J. McMorro. He was held in \$400 for his appearance before the Grand Jury.

John Cronin and John Campbell, of Weymouth, for being drunk, were each fined \$1 and costs.

Michael McCarthy, of Cohasset, for being drunk, and for breaking glass, was fined \$1 and costs for being drunk, and \$5 and costs for breaking glass.

John McLaughlin, of Randolph, for an assault and for being drunk. Found guilty and fined \$5 and costs for assault, and \$1 and costs for being drunk. He appealed, and was held in \$300 for his appearance at the next term of the Superior Court.

For the Patriot.

And Still They Come.

On Friday evening, Feb. 8th, a large number of the friends of Miss Mary Gerrard surprised her at the residence of Mr. T. Bryant Nightingale, Center street. This affair was a neekie party and passed off very pleasantly. Having enjoyed themselves with games and dancing, and eating, the guests separated at a late hour. They are still waiting for the NEXT.

Public Library.

The following is a list of the new books recently added to the Thomas Crane Library in this town:

Baker, Sir W. M. True tales for my grandsons. 262 2

Broadwinners, the. 325 14

Cable, G. W. Old Creeds days. 323 16

Caldwell, J. The round trip by way of Panama. 154 10

Cook, G. W. George Eliot; critical study. 438 6

Crab, M. M. Thirty years; poem. 232 29

Crawford, F. M. To be loved. 258 29

Riley, R. T. French and German Song in modern times. 62 32

Fawcett, E. An ambitious woman. 324 2

Fisks, Mrs. J. T. How to flip the poor. 63 35

Fisks, J. Excursions of an evolutionist. 201 14

Gibson, A. Mary Lamb, (famous women). 438 10

Hill, W. W.

How to Save the Boys,

How to Save the Boys.

When a boy who has a pleasant home, with everything about him that elevates, with indulgent parents, begins to feel uneasy, restless, and out of his element; when he feels that he had rather be in the society of the low and

depraved, listening to unclean talk, than at home; then it is that an extra effort must be made, or the future of that boy is ruined. Then it is, too, that the parents awake to a knowledge of the fact that a desperate struggle has got to be made to reclaim the boy. There are hundreds of mothers who realize this, and who have sons that

have grown, by their indulgence, beyond their control, and they feel that it is all but an impossible task to undertake to check them in their downward course. Yet those mothers are ready to do what they can. But how often they fail in their intentions, simply because they went at it wrong. They began a course of lectures instead of mak-

ing home, especially the boy's room, more attractive, providing interesting reading and other diversions, to interest the boy's mind. Invite good and pleasant company to your house, mothers. Let the mothers of a neighborhood club together and devise a series of entertainments and amusements that will so occupy their boys'

attention that they will not find time to loaf on the corners or sit around bar-rooms, listening to vulgar talk and the depraved. The Winter months are more destructive to the morals of the young men who seek for amusement away from their homes than any other time of the year, as they are forced by the weather to seek out warm and com-

portable places where lively company is to be found. Where else, than the saloon, is such a place to be found away from home? Fathers and mothers have it in their power to counteract the evil influences that beset youth, if they will but devise ways and means suited to the tastes of the youth, and not forget that they were once young and did not

Robert J. Burdette, the facetious editor of the Burlington *Hawkeye*, has been lecturing to large audiences in different parts of the country, and in

—Be somebody on your own account, my son, and don't try to get along on the reputation of your ancestors. Nobody knows, and nobody cares who Adam's grandfather was, and there is

not a man living who can tell the name of Brigham Young's mother-in-law.¹⁷ The lecturer urged upon his hearers the necessity of keeping up with the every day procession, and not pulling back in the harness. Hard work never was known to kill men; it was the fun that men had in the intervals that killed them. The fast, moreover, was not a

term. The fact was, most people had yet to learn what fun really was. A man might go to Europe and spend a million dollars, and then recall the fact that he had a great deal more fun at a picnic twenty years ago that cost him just 65 cents. The theory that the world owed every man a living was false. The world owed a man nothing.

There was a living in the world for every man, however, provided the man was willing to work for it. If he did not work for it, somebody else would earn it, and the lazy man would "get left." There were greater opportunities for workers out West than in the Eastern cities, but men who

ent out west to grow up with the country must do their own growing. There is no browsing allowed in the vigorous West. An energetic man might go out into the far West, and in two or three years possess himself of a bigger house, a bigger yard, a bigger barn, and a bigger mortgage than he could obtain by ten years'

work in the East. All young men ought to marry, and no young man should envy old men or rich men. In conclusion, Mr. Burdette said that a man should do well whatever he was given to do, and not despise drudgery.

The Washington monument is the wonder of Washington, and its beauty the admiration of both Americans and foreigners. Already over 350 feet high, it rises from the banks of the Potomac a great, white, marble shaft, piercing the clouds, and backed against the blue of the sky! It is already the

grandest obelisk the world has ever seen, and in the monuments of the future, should the nations of the day pass away, leaving no more records of their progress than the mighty ones of the Egyptian past, it would surpass the pyramids in the wonder of its construction. It is already higher than the

third pyramid, and within a hundred feet of the size of the second. It is smaller than St. Peter's cathedral, and when finished it will be the highest structure in the world. To-day the cathedral of Cologne, 512 feet high, is the tallest in the world. Next comes the great pyramid, 483 feet high; then

The teacher had grown eloquent in relation to his little pupils, the French.

What kind of little boys go to heaven?" A lively little four year old boy, with kicking boots, flourished his fist. "Well you may answer," said the teacher. "Dead ones!" shouted the little fellow, at the extent of his power.

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PATRICK McDONNELL, Esq.,
Quincy, Feb. 13, 1884. 16-3w

Administratrth's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the will of the late estate of
LAVINA WADLEIGH,
late of QUINCY in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and have taken upon herself the same, by giving bonds, as the law directs.
All persons having demands upon the estate of the said deceased, to establish the same, and demand are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned, or said estate are called upon to make payment to
HANNAN D. WHITTIER,
Adminr. with will annexed.
Quincy, Jan. 8, 1884. Feb. 9-3w

Volbrook, was partly destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning, between two and three o'clock.

Read "A Card from a Lady," in another column.

Yours, respectfully,
HIRAM W. PHILLIPS.
Submarine Diver, Quincy Point

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J. D. WILLIAMS.
Adjutant,
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Quincy, Jan. 12.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, FEB. 23, 1884.

Leap Year Suggestions.

An honest husband you should seek. Without reproach or fear. Not should you stop until you pop. The question of the year.

Don't hesitate, nor speculate on love, or when, or where, or if he be a rover free, or modest millionaire.

Be sure you're right, then go ahead, And with a firm resolve, Determine to go in with a man who will win.

Around you with devotion true, And to your children's hand, Whatever you do, we say to you, Just make him love the race!

—New York Morning Journal.

Farm and Garden.

Experiments with Potatoes.

Mr. Lysander S. Richards, who is a native of Quincy and who is well known to many of our readers, writes to the Massachusetts Ploughman about experiments made by him, on his farm at East Marshfield:

"Destined of knowing whether good potatoes and a good crop could be raised from planting green ones (potatoes turned green by being exposed, in the hill, to the sun), I tried the experiment the past season. I planted about one-quarter of my potato patch with them, and in brief would say that the experiment was successful. The quality of the crop and the quantity from those green potatoes were equal to any raised in the patch. These green ones were cut the same as the others, two eyes only left on a piece, and planted in alternate rows, having the same amount of manure and fertilizer as the others, the same cultivation and conditions.

"Another experiment I tried by planting green potatoes, and green ones, mean by small is a potato that will not measure more than one inch in diameter. The seed end of the potato was cut off and planted in alternate rows through a potato field, the other rows being planted with pieces containing two eyes, from very large specimen potatoes, the conditions being the same for both throughout. During the growth the vines of one row presented as much vigor and luxuriance as the other; no difference could be detected between them, and when the potatoes were dug there was no difference in the yield. The field was well manured and a good crop secured.

"The answer from many farmers to this, I am aware, will be that this result is very likely to happen the first year, but if the crop from small potatoes is planted year after year, the potatoes will run smaller each year, and will finally run out; but this is not the experience of Mr. Edmund Hersey, of Hingham. The second year he selected the very small ones from the crop raised from small the first year, and the potatoes were as large, and I think larger, than from the large potatoes planted; also fewer small ones and the crop as great. The third year the same result followed by planting the smallest potatoes from the small potato seed of the first and second year, except that the potatoes were larger than from the large potatoes.

GOOD COWS. D. Lothrop, North Wayne, Maine, writes to the *Levee Journal* that he has three cows and a two-year-old heifer—high grade Jerseys—that made, in the year from 224 January, 1883, to 224 January, 1884, 1762.12 pounds of butter, of which 1627.12 pounds sold for \$456.49. All the cows have had calves in the time, and all are with calf, two of them to come in within four weeks. This is an average of 448 pounds of butter to each cow, or a return in cash of \$114 each for the butter sold. Adding the value of the 165 pounds not reckoned in the sales, and the average receipts from each cow exceed \$129. Mr. Lothrop tried the milk of one cow for one day in the months of January, February and March of 1883. In January she made 2 lbs., 9 oz.; in February, 2 lbs., 10 oz.; in March, 2 lbs., 7 oz.; and on the 18th of October, from one day's milk, was made 1 lb., 12 oz. of butter. Such dairymen pay.

"The most expensive land ever sold in this country was the 12x25 lot corner of Broad Street and Exchange place, New York City, which lately brought the price of \$15,450

A RARE BIRD. Harry Slade, son of Mr. James H. Slade, a lad of sixteen, shot on Saturday last, in the town river, near the residence of a bald eagle, which measured seven feet from tip of wings. He was a noble bird and a true representative of our national emblem. Mr. Slade has sent him to Boston to be mounted.

The eagle got terribly deceived. He was flying over the river in search of fish, which bald eagles are especially fond of, and seeing some ducks in the water went down and grabbed one by the head and started off, but did not proceed but a few feet with his prey before he dropped it. It proved to be a wooden decoy, and was fastened to others by a rope. Harry, who was lying in ambush for ducks, improved the opportunity and shot the prize.

STUDENT PARTY. The friends and schoolmates to the number of twenty-five or more, met at the residence of Miss Maud Rice, in Atlantic, on the evening of Friday last week, and gave that young lady a very pleasing and agreeable surprise. A few hours were greatly enjoyed in games and social amusements, interspersed with conversation, and the time passed all too quickly. A summons to the refreshment table was responded to by the happy crowd, and the feast of good things was partaken of with a zest. The early departure of the party caused the joyous good night, having spent the few hours very delightfully, and feeling that their surprise had been a perfect success.

PERSONAL. Mrs. Adelaide A. Claffin, who has been nominated by the citizens' caucus, and afterwards by the Republican caucus, for a position on the school board, is the wife of Mr. F. A. Claffin, of Quincy. She is a lady of refinement and culture, a graduate of the Boston Normal School, and was for some years a valued and successful teacher in the Washington School of Boston. Mrs. Claffin is the mother of three children, two of whom attend the Codding school.

MISSIONARY LABORS. On Wednesday evening a small audience was present at Christ Church, to listen to an address by Archdeacon Kirkby, who, for twenty-seven years of his life labored as a missionary among the Indians of the Northwest Territory. His address was very interesting and instructive, and we were sorry that more were not present to listen to it. It is to be hoped that the gentleman will again visit this town, when we are sure that a large audience will greet him.

ASSAULTED. James McClafferty, of Quincy, was assaulted on Granite street, near Thompson & O'Brien's, on Friday evening of last week. In the District Court, on Tuesday, Edward Curran and James Denwood were found guilty of the assault, and were each fined \$5 and costs.

LOCKED UP. Michael O'Hara, the thief who robbed Andrew Johnson at North Quincy, in 1882, and after a hearing before the District Court escaped from officer Farnall, was once more presented to the District Court Thursday by officer Farnall, and held in \$500 for his appearance before the Grand Jury at the next term of the Superior Court.

THE QUINCY HOUSE. Mr. French having removed from Temple street, makes additional rooms for Mr. Ordway, who informs our readers to-day that he is prepared to furnish lodgings as well as meals to his guests.

TEMPERANCE MEETINGS. To-morrow, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock, there will be temperance meetings in the various parts of the town, as follows:—
At the Town Hall, William B. Rice presiding, addresses will be made by Rev. Edwin Thompson and B. B. Johnson, Esq. At the Washington Baptist Church, Rev. F. A. Deane presiding, special speeches by Rev. E. T. Sawyer, James H. Smith, Charles W. Carter, George F. Pihlak.

West Quincy, Temperance Hall presiding, Rev. F. A. Deane, addresses by Rev. J. L. Harris and Theodore H. Newcomb.
At Atlantic School House, W. T. B. Emory presiding, remarks will be presented by Rev. Edward Norton and Theodore King, Jr.
At Quincy Point, Congregational Church, presiding officer, John Farnall, 3d, Charles A. Foster.

Demands make Prices.

Ten years ago the north-easterly extremities of Quincy, known as Squantum and Moon Island were worth but a few thousand dollars. Fifteen thousand dollars would have been thought by some to have been an exorbitant price. But since Boston has used some portion of this property for their big sewer, it has risen like a sunflower. The Boston Journal says:

"When the improved sewerage system was inaugurated, the committee having the matter in charge supposed that they had acquired under a legitimate title, the fee of the land required at Squantum, and also the fee of the Moon Island. After the enterprise had assumed such shape that it was impossible to abandon it, Gen. Butler appeared as a claimant for damages at Squantum, the title of which stood in the name of his son Paul, who, it is understood, became the purchaser of the property for the sum of \$20,000, after the work was begun. The committee, to sell the property, was obliged to sell it at a low price, and a right of way through Squantum, and nothing more has been done in the premises until recently, when the committee notified Gen. Butler that it was contemplated to erect an additional pumping station at Moon Island, and requested him to appear and present his views. He appeared on Tuesday afternoon last. General Butler attended the session of the committee, and after a session of the city gained nothing more than a right of way by the legislature, the committee notified Gen. Butler that it was contemplated to erect a pumping station, to sell the city a sufficient amount of land on which to erect a pumping station, for \$10,000, to erect a fourth and a half acre of the property, for \$25,000, to sell the city the property, for \$45,000, and to sell the entire property, including the land, for \$60,000. The committee took no action on either proposition, but it is said that they get no encouragement from the legislature in the taking of any measures to resist the claim of General Butler. A similar state of things exists on Moon Island, which is owned by the Hunkins heirs of Quincy, for whom General Butler appears as counsel."

The springs and wells will be so full now that we shall not need the water works.

Brief Recalls.

A girl is wanted to do general housework.

Mrs. Daniel Higgins has been visiting with friends in Eastham.
James Hussey, of West Quincy, has been visiting friends in Milford.
Snow, snow, the beautiful snow, danced merrily down all day Thursday.

There will be music as well as fine speaking at the Town Hall, Sunday evening.
Let citizens rally to the "No License" meetings Sunday evening. Every district has its attractions.

Mr. D. Fred French has secured rooms in the Robertson House, and moved there on Friday last week.
Miss Nellie Washburn, a former school girl of Quincy, has been admitted to the State Normal School at Bridgewater.

It will be seen on referring to advertisement that Dr. Farrar is to lecture in Town Hall, on Moral and Physical Health.

Rev. Reginald Howe, a former pastor of Christ Church, preached two very interesting sermons at that church last Sunday.
The snow-plough went along on the main streets very early Tuesday morning, making it very nice for the laboring people.

The Milford Gazette, says, "Mr. A. was well to attend his mother's funeral."

About seven hundred names appear on the next page, of voters who are opposed to granting liquor licenses.

Quite a number of persons visited Hough's Neck, on Friday of last week, the lovely spring like weather inviting them to an inspection of their cottages.

On Friday of next week, Joseph W. Lombard will sell the household furniture of the late Emerson Shaw. Good bargains can be secured.

Rev. P. A. McKenna, an able gentleman from Hudson, was announced to speak at the Town Hall last evening, on temperance. John H. Deane was to preside.

Owing to the space occupied by the committee on address, with names of those voters in favor of no license, a very interesting communication from our New York correspondent, in the latter measure have just petitioned Congress to attend to the matter at its earliest opportunity.

The annual report for the town of Quincy has been printed and the distribution of them was commenced on Thursday. Voters will have scant time to study its pages before town meeting.

During Lent, services will be held in the chapel of Christ Church every Monday and Wednesday evenings, and on Fridays in the forenoon. At the evening services the Rector will deliver a sermon.

Postmaster Bass has had some cards sent for distribution, from a man in Illinois, who is desirous of securing a partner in the form of a wife, with four or five thousand dollars in cash, to go on a stock farm.

A brother of Mr. Amos Churchill, who is a resident of Albany, New York, is very dangerously sick at his home in that place. Mr. Churchill is expecting a telegram at any hour announcing his death.

The Leap year party held at Faxon Hall last evening, under the auspices of the young ladies connected with the Unitarian Church, was a most enjoyable affair. The young ladies taking their part in a highly satisfactory manner.

It will be noticed that the next social at the Universalist vestry will be on Wednesday evening, March 6th. Mr. and Mrs. King of Boston are certain to give a most excellent entertainment, and the novelty of a pie supper to be given by the young ladies will be an irresistible attraction.

The firm of Messrs. Churchill & Hitchcock have sustained a severe loss in the death of one of the most reliable workmen in whom they reposed the greatest confidence. Mr. John Golden who died February 20th and Mr. Richard Ellis, who after a short illness, died on Wednesday morning.

There is a great interest in polo and of course the Boston Globe contains all the news about it. The Globe always keeps ahead. The Sunday Globe is particularly entertaining to the ladies and young folks. Try it next Sunday.

The Alabama Jubilee Singers sang a concert at the Town Hall recently, with much pleasure and satisfaction to our citizens, we learn are to give another next Saturday evening, March 8th. They will then appear in their plantation costumes which make their concert much more enjoyable.

February passed off roughly. The thermometer was at zero at sunrise on yesterday morning, and the cold was quite severe all day. The ground was covered with snow, and the wind blew quite hard, making it one of the most disagreeable days of winter.

Miss Nellie M. Coolidge, the pleasant young lady in the office of the QUINCY PATRIOT, was agreeably surprised Friday noon, in discovering upon her desk, on her return from dinner, a pair of opera glasses accompanied by a card informing her that she was a gift from the association of the Quincy Patriot, as well as from the donors for their kind remembrance.

Quincy Point Items.

The Vulture Engine Company will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.
Washington's birthday was passed in a very quiet manner at the Point. The bell was not rung on account of sickness in the community; the Vulture, even did not raise the flag on their house, but doubtless we are all patriotic at heart and will show this spirit both to a better advantage in the succeeding holidays.

Sunday evening will be devoted to temperance meetings in each section of the town. At the Congregational Church the meeting will be in charge of Mr. John Farnall, 3d and addresses will be made by Rev. D. M. Wilson and Mr. Charles A. Foster of Quincy. The "Ladies Aid Society" gave an old fashioned supper Thursday night, postponed the previous evening on account of Republican caucus. Considering the stormy evening there were many present and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed.

This last week in February has not been much of an improvement on the other three, as regards the weather. Old Prob. has saved himself many hard remarks in this last, by wisely giving fair weather on Monday, the universal washing day. As if to compensate us for such hard usage—we have been treated to some fine scenes, especially on Wednesday morning when after Tuesday's snow storm which came down so silently in great feathery flakes the trees looked beautiful each limb and branch and twig being loaded with a morning white simply to enjoy the spectacle.

The Ladies Aid Society will hold a Social on Wednesday next. E. M. F. Washington Letter

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26th, 1884.
A notable event of the week in this city was the meeting and adjournment of the Democratic National committee whose work is now part of the campaign history of '84. The eighth of June and Chicago were selected for the time and place of holding the nominating convention.

The Senate which has given its attention to the McPherson financial bill at every daily session for more than a week, resumed the discussion Monday, and will continue it until a vote is reached on the measure. During this week the House will consider the Congressional bill and the pneumo-pneumonia bill, both of which passed the Senate. A large number of western cattle men and farmers feeling deeply interested in the latter measure have just petitioned Congress to attend to the matter at its earliest opportunity.

The Mexican Pension bill comes up this week Mr. Browne of Ind., will be ready with an amendment to pension every soldier of the late war who served a year in the Union Army regardless of his present physical condition. This is for the purpose of worrying the Democrats, who say it will not embarrass them in the least, as they will promptly reject it and proceed with the bill. The last measure passed by the House was the appropriation bill for the Military Academy. It gave rise to an extended debate during which many Congressmen expressed their opinions of the curriculum and ways of the West Point school; some calling it an aristocratic institution at the standard of admission was so high as to preclude the entrance of the sons of the poorer classes who could not have extraordinary preparatory advantages.

Others thought it was governed by snobs, and one member called the professors national pangers having under their control Congressmen who were practically afraid of placing restrictions on the institution; while others said West Point was the most important and wisely managed school in the United States. After all this, the Military Academy got the appropriation.

The Senate committee on territories will soon report a bill for the admission of South Dakota as a state of the Union, and Alaska is to have a civil government, the same committee having decided on a favorable report of the Senate bill to that effect. Senator Ingalls has said Alaska was the most worthless acquisition with which any government was ever afflicted, but the Senator from Kansas, naturally regarding this territory from a standpoint of pleasure in its vastness, its wheat, and a very able quality of statesmen.

A prohibition convention was held in this city during the week. This was composed of a party which has taken a new departure. Addresses were made not only against liquor but against all secret temperance societies, and all secret orders, masonry included. At one of the meetings, Fred Douglas defined what the colored man wanted, in a lecture on civil rights. The convention nominated Rev. J. B. Blanchard of Ill., for President of the United States, but as the gentleman declined the offer ex-Senator Pomeroy of Kansas was named as President, and Mr. John A. Conant, for Vice-President, subject to the ratification of the prohibition convention to be held at Chicago. During one of the sessions, as Susan B. Anthony was noticed in the audience, a vociferous demand for a speech from her, but in the confusion and applause of the invitation the veteran woman suffragist wrapped her draperies around her and silently stole away. In a series of resolutions adopted by the party was embodied opposition to all combinations of capitalists and laborers, which result in strikes and distress. A uniform national currency was proposed, also the recognition of the Bible in the public schools.

On Tuesday the President will hold the last of his official receptions, to which the members of the Cabinet, and Supreme Court, officers of the Navy, Senators and Representatives will be invited by card to meet the Diplomatic corps. On Thursday the President will give a Congressional dinner.

A Query.
Can it be possible that the citizens of Quincy are about to combine the Road Commissioner and the Quincy Water Company? It certainly looks like it when Dr. Faxon, a prominent member of the water board, is nominated on the road commission. The people of Quincy have suffered quite enough this winter from the outrageous manner in which the Water Company left the roads, and I should like to ask you whether the water board can hope for, with a member of the water board serving the town as a Road Commissioner?

FAIR PLAY.
Vegetine has never failed to cure the most inveterate case of erysipelas.

Republican Caucus.

The Republicans held their caucus for the nomination of candidates for town officers, at the Town Hall, on Wednesday. The attendance was large and the order excellent. W. W. Adams called the meeting to order, and Charles H. Porter was elected Chairman, and W. W. Adams, Secretary. The following candidates were nominated in the meeting, and elected by nearly unanimous votes:

Town Clerk, George L. Gill.
Town Treasurer, Horace B. Spear.
Selectmen and Assessors, George H. Farnall, Elias A. Perkins, Christopher A. Spear.

School Committee for three years, Mrs. Adelaide A. Claffin, Sylvester Brown.

Trustees of the Public Library for three years, Luther W. Anderson, Frederick A. Claffin.

Managers of Adams Academy, for three years, John Q. Adams, Peter Butler.

Managers of Mount Wollaston Cemetery for two years, George L. Baxter, Joseph H. Vogie.

Commissioner of Sinking Fund for three years, Rupert F. Claffin.

Tax Collector, George H. Locke.

Road Commissioner for three years, William L. Faxon.

Constables, Joseph Warren Hayden, Edward A. Spear, Washington M. French, Napoleon B. Farnall, Charles N. Hunt, Edward H. Richardson, Mark E. Hanson, William C. Seeger, George H. Locke, George O. Langley, Amos M. Littlejohn, E. Wright. The only real thing of the meeting in the caucus was a little discussion as to the expediency of making a change in the school committee board, by nominating one or more ladies. Short and eloquent speeches were made by E. E. Williams, Henry H. Faxon, Edwin W. Marsh, T. King, Jr., Charles A. Foster, George A. Litchfield, D. M. Wilson and others. The meeting came to the conclusion that it was a good time to make a change, as the two gentlemen, Messrs. Marsh and Deane, whose term expires at this time, decline serving longer on the board, it gave a favorable opportunity of trying the experiment, if it can be called thus. Many other topics have been placed on the school board, with a benefit of nomination made, however, does not give perfect satisfaction to all members of the party. Some think the placing of a master of one of the Boston schools on the ticket is not wise, and will work an injury to our schools by taking away from time to time some of our best teachers.

The nomination of William L. Faxon for Road Commissioner also occasioned some discussion. Some think the actual condition of our streets have been left in by the Water Company needs some of wisdom and good judgment to see that the town's interests are looked after; and in this selfish world do not believe that a member of the Water Board would be the right man.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats held a caucus at the Town Hall on Thursday evening for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported for town officers on Monday next. The attendance was quite large and the following gentlemen were declared the nominees:

Town Clerk, George L. Gill.
Town Treasurer, Horace B. Spear.
Selectmen and Assessors, George Cahill, James E. Maxim, and James J. Malone.

School Committee, Francis L. Hayes and John F. Cole.
Trustees of the Public Library, W. F. Pierce and John E. Burns.

Managers of Adams Academy, Peter Butler and Lewis Bass.

Managers of Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Joseph H. Vogie and Thomas H. McDonnell.

Sinking Fund, Joseph W. Robertson, George L. Gill, and George H. Locke. Constables, Jonathan S. Paine, W. M. French, John C. Kapples, James Haverham, Michael J. Carey, Nathan G. Glover, William Murphy, John Haskings, Joseph W. Hayden, Bryant N. Adams, William Parker, Joseph W. Lombard, Stephen N. Swain and Robert J. Williams.

Citizen's Caucus.

The committee chosen at the citizens' caucus met on Monday evening and nominated the following ticket to be balloted for on Monday next:

Town Clerk, George L. Gill.
Town Treasurer, Horace B. Spear.
Selectmen, Alexander Marrocco, James E. Maxim, James J. Malone, Joseph W. Lombard, Stephen N. Swain and Robert J. Williams.

Trustees of the Public Library, Henry McGrath, Frank J. Bonney.
Trustees of Adams Academy, John Q. Adams, Peter Butler.
Managers of Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Joseph H. Vogie.

Road Commissioner, John Chamberlain.

Constables, Joseph Walker, John Burnett, William Warner, Edward Powers, John Hagerty, John Kapples, Walter Parnell, Peter Dackers, Timothy Egan, Robert Allen, Patrick Byrne, James E. Maxim, Washington M. French, Joseph W. Hayden.

District Court, Quincy.
The following cases have been before the Justices of the court, this week:
Edward Curran and James Denwood for an assault on James McClafferty of Quincy. Found guilty and fined each \$5 and costs.

Elliside Terrell and Joseph Bastow of Weymouth were each fined \$1 and costs for being drunk.
Benjamin F. Raymond of Weymouth, for being a drunkard was sent to the House of Correction for 30 days.

William Martin of Quincy was sent to the House of Correction for three months.

Mr. Cushing of the East Weymouth express was before the court on two complaints, of illegally transporting intoxicating liquors. On the complaint he was discharged; the other case was continued till to-day.

For the Patriotic.

Christ Church.
The Rev. Mr. Osborne will preach at Christ Church next Sunday morning on "The Church Temperance Society." This society is founded on the same principles as that of the Church of England.

Recognizing temperance as the Law of the Gospel, and total abstinence as a rule of expediency in certain cases, and fully and freely according to every man's right to decide the expediency of his Christian liberty, whether or not he will adopt said rule this society lays down the basis on which it rests, and from which its work shall be conducted, a union and co-operation on equal terms for the promotion of temperance, and those who abstain entirely from the use of intoxicating drinks as beverages.

Foremost among the means recommended by this society is daily prayer for God's blessing on all efforts, and as for secondary means:

I. Systematic teaching on the physical, social and moral evils of intemperance.

II. The formation of Diocesan and Parochial societies.

III. Counter attractions where feasible, such as the promotion of coffee houses, workmen's benefit societies, and associations, reading rooms, for amusement as well as instruction.

IV. Total abstinence from all intoxicating beverages; to be urged on the intemperate: (a) As a measure of physical necessity. (b) As the first step to temperance. (c) As an invitation to the intemperate, being placed solely upon the power and grace of Almighty God sought in the use of all the appointed means of grace.

To be recommended to the temperate: (a) Whenever placed in special peril. (b) Whenever prudent or medical advice shall require it as a means of preservation; and also (c) whenever any, by thus abridging his liberty, may be able to help his weaker brother, or to remove a stumbling block out of his way.

To be recommended especially to the young as a safeguard against temptation.

For the Patriotic.

Squantum Items.

We made a visit to Moon Island, a few days since, and found the "improved sewerage" working in good shape. The machinery is all in for hoisting the gates, and in all it is a great piece of mechanism. The brick sewer across the "dumpp," so called, is not yet, and a temporary wooden one has been built on piling on the north side of the dump to carry the sewage to the huge tanks or reservoir on the island; and it will, in all probability, be used for some years, until the dump is done settling. We were told that the present reservoir was not large enough to receive all the sewage in case of sudden storms, and that they were contemplating building another large reservoir adjoining the one now there. There was talk of having them elevated on stilts, but one very disagreeable odor came from the sewer; at present, there is hardly any odor to be perceived on the island; only a slight smell like that of sour suds water. I venture to say that as yet there has not been any small perceptible 1000 feet away.

We next started for the mainland, Squantum, and observed Mr. D. Hall, contractor, making preparations for grading and putting down on the dump preparatory to sealing it down, making when done, a pretty and pleasant drive as the masonry and mechanism displayed on the island will repay anyone for driving there.

We were next taken over to the pumping station, situated near the present avenue, and were shown everything in moth engine and pump. Not being much of a machinist, I am unable to make any explanations relative to the complicated and gigantic piece of machinery, but was struck by the neatness and gentlemanly engineer in charge, that at each revolution of the large fly wheel the pump lifted 1694 gallons of sewage; and that the wheel made 16.94 revolutions per minute, pumping 16.94 gallons per minute. There are two of these pumps, and both being in work would of course pump twice that quantity.

We then started for home well paid for our trouble of taking the day's journey. HAWKEYE FIRST.

For the Patriotic.

Letter from New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20, 1884.
The son of Dr. Leopold Danrosch, a gentleman well-known here as a musical genius and one highly talented, has been engaged to play the organ at the Catholic church, St. Ignace, Ward Beecher's Plymouth Church, for one year, beginning May 1st. The organist is a young man of twenty years of age, but has studied music under his father, and is a very accomplished musician. The Plymouth Church chorus choir will consist of sixty members, most of whom will be volunteers from the congregation.

By constant use the Bridge cable has up to Saturday night been in excellent, stretched over a hundred feet. Early Sunday morning the machinery was stopped and the work of cutting off 102 feet of the wire strands was begun. The undertaking was actually completed in a little over seven hours, and everything was in perfect running order shortly after 7 A. M. This is said to be the shortest time in which so large a cable was ever spliced.

The following is an outline of a report presented at the present session of the tri-tyre appointed recently on Charter Reform, by a sub-committee appointed at the last meeting of the full committee:

It was urged, first,—that the immediate removal of Mr. Roosevelt's bill, taking the confirming power from the Board of Aldermen should be insisted upon; second,—that no time should be lost by the committee of fifty-three in putting said bill through; and, third,—that the full committee do at once to Albany and remain there until the bill is passed. This report was unanimously accepted and the meeting adjourned to Albany.

Committee on Military Affairs.

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 28, 1884.
THE Committee on Military Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the proposed bill to amend the law relating to the militia of the State, at 10 o'clock, on Wednesday, March 1st, at the State House, on TUESDAY, March 1st, at 10 o'clock.

George A. Cushing.
Clerk of the Committee.

New and Nobby Styles OF FINE SILK AND FELT HATS.

At Billings, Lamson & Co.'s, Manufacturing and Retail Hatters, COR. KINGSTON and BEDFORD STS., Boston, March 1.

Quincy Soldiers of 1863 & '64.

The military committee of the Legislature met at the State House on Tuesday last, to consider the petition of M. M. C. Chubbuck and others of Quincy, for an act, allowing the town to pay certain bounties to soldiers who re-enlisted in the field in the winter of '63 and '64.

Representative Pattee of Quincy, presented the case of the petitioners. He said that the men who enlisted at home on the quota of Quincy received \$125 each, while by act of the Legislature those who re-enlisted in the field were debarrd from receiving it. In 1860 the town voted to pay all soldiers on the town quota \$125. All he asked was an act allowing the town to raise money to pay the men who re-enlisted in the field between Dec. 15th, 1863, and April 15th, 1864, and who served the close of the war, and were honorably discharged. No one was present in an official way to oppose it, but Henry H. Faxon rose, just as the hearing was about to close, and said he did not appear in any one's interest, but to protect the town's interest. He did not like to oppose this measure, but he thought the time had come when sentimentality had better be swept out of the town, and the men who were for the interests of those who stayed at home. He knew that some of the petitioners were loafers, and spent their money in dram shops, and thought that such men ought not to be paid.

Mr. Curry of the committee suggested that he ought to show they were loafers at the time they were re-enlisted or else it had no bearing on the case.

Mr. Faxon replied that they were loafers then and had been ever since. A member of the committee asked Mr. Faxon where he and his property would have been had these loafers staid at home. Mr. Faxon made no reply.

Mr. Curry then said that there were always men who could be hired to bring these petitions, and he thought the thing had better be brought to a stop. He did not think that the men who volunteered to go to the front had any more work on the town than the business men who went into business and lost money.

Mr. Snow of the committee, then asked Mr. Faxon if he had any evidence to show that Mr. Pattee had been retained in this case.

Mr. Faxon said: "Of course I can't prove that."

"Then," said Mr. Snow, "do you think it is right to make such a statement?"

Mr. Pattee then said: "I want to ask Mr. Faxon if he by heresy or otherwise has ever heard that I was to receive in any way any pecuniary benefit."

Mr. Faxon replied: "Oh, of course Mr. Pattee is too shrewd to let any one know it." Then he continued by saying that he supposed that his course would make him unpopular in Quincy.

"But," said he, "Thank God I am unpopular with certain classes in this town."

At this point Chairman Trull said, with emphasis: "This hearing is closed."

Resolutions.

At a meeting of the Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., held in their hall on Tuesday evening, the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That we deny the assertion made by the said H. H. Faxon that the stay-at-homes are entitled to the same consideration as we who went to the front in the hour of our country's need.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to every Post of the G. A. R. in the Department of Massachusetts.

Resolved, That a copy be also sent to the National Tribune at Washington, D. C.

Resolved, That this preamble and resolutions be printed in the Quincy Patriot.

JAMES M. CLEVELY, Committee JOHN A. PRATT, on EDWARD A. SPEAR, 2d Resolutions of G. A. R.

W. P. MARTIN, Commander. J. D. WILLIAMS, Adjutant. Quincy, March 1, 1884.

Sunday Services.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School at 11.45 A. M. Communion service at 2.30 P. M.
Prayer and conference meeting every Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH, (Unitarian). Rev. D. M. Wilson, minister. Church service at 10.30 A. M. Sunday school at 11.45 A. M. Class meeting at 6.30 P. M. Class meetings Wednesday evening; prayer meetings Friday evenings, commencing at 7 o'clock.

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MRS. C. E. SNOW, Chestnut Street, OPPOSITE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Quincy, Nov. 4.

Winter Millinery, MISS S. H. HUSSEY, informs the Ladies that her stock of NEW GOODS is large and most beautiful.

Hats and Bonnets, IN FELT, Velvet and Furry Goods, in all styles, French and Fancy Feathers, Broad and Plumes, Velvets and Ribbons in variety; prices to please those wishing to purchase. P. S. Feathers Colored and Curled (Tape) made to order. Hats and Bonnets repaired. All orders promptly attended to, as usual. OPPOSITE HOTEL, HANCOCK STREET, Quincy, Oct. 27.

NEW FALL, Winter Millinery, OPEN THIS WEEK, Comprising a nice line of Straw and Felt HATS AND BONNETS, Birds, Breasts and Feathers. Saline, Velvets, Ribbons, Flowers and ornaments, and many other articles in Fancy Goods, at Boston prices. Also, the latest styles in DRESSMAKING, Pinking and Stamping, BAKKETS DYE HOUSE. Hats and Bonnets Pressed, and Feathers Dyed and Curled. MRS. L. P. H. M., Hancock Street, NEXT HOUSE TO ROBERTSON BLOCK, Quincy, Oct. 6.

CHOICE EASTERN HAY, Of all kinds, delivered to Any Part of Quincy AT LOW PRICES. A specialty made of Fine Hay, for Cows, etc. JOHN RAMSDALL, NEPHEW, Telephone 9212, Dec. 29.

WILLIAM GARRITY'S (Formerly Farnall & Son's) Quincy & Boston Express, The subscriber having purchased the good will of the late Farnall & Son, and being able to give freight and parcels between Quincy and Boston, and hopes to attract attention to business by meeting a desire of public patronage. N. B. Furniture Moved and Parlor accommodated at short notice. Leaves Quincy at 9 o'clock, A. M., and Boston at 2:15 P. M. Quincy—Orders may be left at Whittier & Nash's, D. Baxter & Co., E. Bent's, and the Stable. Boston—134 Washington Street, 3 Devonshire Street, 4 1/2 Court Street, Market Street, Farnall Hall Square, Quincy, Sept. 7.

AUSTIN & WINSLOW'S QUINCY & BOSTON EXPRESS, BOSTON OFFICES: 21 Court Square, leave at 10:00 and 2:00 P. M.; 200 North Street, leave at 11:30 and 3:30 P. M.; 75 King Street, leave at 11:30 and 3:30 P. M. Call or goods should be left early at above-named offices to insure prompt delivery. Connected by Telephone. QUINCY OFFICE: Railroad Station, W. T. Pierce's, E. E. Hall & Co., C. B. Tilton's, E. A. Adams, Quincy, Adams, Leave Quincy at 8:30, 9:30 and 12:30 P. M. Oct. 15.

H. W. HOSIE'S QUINCY & BOSTON RAILROAD EXPRESS, QUINCY OFFICE: S. H. Spear's Store, Quincy, Adams, Station, and Edward A. Adams, Quincy, Adams, Leave Quincy at 8 and 9:30 A. M., and 12:30 P. M. Leave Boston, 31 Kilby Street, at 1 and 3 P. M.; 75 Kingston Street, at 1 and 3:30 P. M. Order Box at No. 10 Farnall Hall Square, Quincy, July 22.

J. M. CUTTING, Veterinary Surgeon, Franklin St., Quincy. All orders promptly attended to, whether by mail or by telegraph. Horse Medicine for sale.

Order Box at Quincy Station, Quincy, Aug. 4.

THE QUINCY PATRIOT.

Published for publication by the W. C. T. Union. Licenses. We have suspected that there is a misapprehension of opinion in regard to the expression of opinion at the last municipal election on this difficult subject of licenses. The statute requires, rather stupidly, that people shall vote either for 'license' or 'no license.' The large class of people who wish to have a restricted license, but do not believe in the working of prohibition, ought to be permitted to vote at all. In fact, the greater part of them do not. In a full vote of about 35,752, 17,508 people declined to vote on the issue presented to them. Of those who voted, only 22,970 voted for license, and 12,774 voted for none. The curious fact is thus revealed that more than 12,000 persons of the purchasing class voted for the maintenance of the 3,000 bars which are now licensed. For it seems to be substantially shown that, on the average, each license represents three voters personally interested in the daily sale of liquor. In other words, when it comes to the annual decision by law whether the open bars shall be sustained, they are sustained, firstly by those who sell the liquor; secondly, by a number about equal to those who drink it. Of course this class number does not buy enough liquor to keep the bars in operation. As a matter of daily practice, the bars have the further support of the people from the country, of whom we have spoken. —Boston Daily Advertiser.

Farm and Garden. Potatoes. Mr. Charles O. Eells, of Scituate, writes to the Quincy Patriot, as follows:— It is often remarked that we do not raise so large crops of potatoes as we were, as though the raising of large crops were among the lost arts. I believe if the proper method is taken we will have no trouble to raise as large crops now as then. Take land that has been in grass, plough under a good quantity of manure and plant even one year; the next year plough in more manure and fertilizers in the drill, plant potatoes, and you will have a crop like those we are reminded of, and I am verified by the following statements: Geo. O. Allen, of Scituate, raised on one acre 350 bushels of potatoes; the acre had corn on it the year before. Sea manure was spread on one half, and barn manure on the other half, and ploughed in. It was planted in drills three and one-half feet apart, with Bradley's phosphate; on four rows, without the fertilizer, made a deficiency of twelve bushels. D. S. Jenkins raised twelve acres of potatoes averaging 200 bushels per acre; some acres exceeded that amount, others less, owing to drought. One acre of sward he ploughed a straight furrow, a man following dropped the seed potato on the land side, using Stockbridge's fertilizer, until he ploughed the whole piece. He raised 200 bushels on that acre. J. W. Sampson, an extensive farmer, has planted potatoes under the sward, and has no trouble in raising as large crops as in olden times. E. E. Eells, of the neighboring town of Cohasset, raised last season 480 bushels of potatoes on one acre, and 512 on another. It had corn the year before (130 bushels per acre), sea weed (eel grass) and barn manure were ploughed under; it was planted in drills twenty inches apart, with Buffalo fertilizer. EXPORTATION. The growth of the exportation of products of agriculture from the United States constitutes the most important feature of the development of our foreign commerce. The value of such exports amounted in 1870 to only \$108,965,713; in 1880 to \$256,560,972; in 1870 to \$361,188,483; and in 1880 to \$619,309,449, against \$552,210 in 1869. During the preceding year, for many years the value of the exports of the products of agriculture has ranged from seventy-two to eighty-three per cent. of the total value of exports of domestic merchandise from this country.

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Temperance.

From the Bostonian Observer. Expenses for 1883. The following is a summary of the expenses incurred and paid out in connection with running the town government of Braintree: Orders drawn for Schools, \$9,188.90. Incidental exp's of schools, 429.93. School houses 178.94. Rep's East primary school room, 357.42. Painting School houses, 485.00. Furnishing Union school house, 288.06. Repairs on South school house, 86.96. Repairs on West schoolhouse, 103.50. Almshouse, 2,250.27. Poor out of Almshouse, 3,719.25. Hospitals, 286.21. Library, 450.00. 150.00. Highways, 7,908.69. New Dumbbridge, 7,907.86. New Almshouse, 11,181.67. Removing snow, 418.43. Incidental expense, 1,470.61. Town Hall, 346.10. Janitor, 600.00. Lighting and Ventilating, 1,292.74. Abatement of taxes, 321.47. Town Officers, 1,673.25. Law and Order League, 336.50. Police, 46.75. State Aid, 1,313.50. Fire Department, 753.90. Improving town lands, 367.85. Repairing pumps, 32.62. Reservoir on Hobart street, 470.04. Little Pond, 65.50. Repairing old drawbridge, 120.27. \$56,511.94.

Stop that Cough. Coughs and colds are prevalent now especially among children, too often from the ignorance or carelessness of their elder guardians. Many mothers appear to accept with resignation the repeated and violent colds from which their children suffer as providential and unavoidable. A cold is by no means always due to exposure. Indigestion, constipation, a lack of scrupulous cleanliness, the unwise habit of sleeping in much of the clothing worn during the day, unwarmed bed chambers, all or any of these may have far more to do with your child's tendency to cold than the keenest breath of the bracing winter air. And in a great measure these are under your control. Mothers should understand that it is a fact, whether they can see how it is or not, that numerous colds and sore throats are directly traceable to indigestion and dietetic errors. Quantities of greasy food, fried meats, pastry and the like, ill-ventilated rooms, and continued constipation, have to answer for many cases of croup, and putrid sore throats. All these things weaken the system and render it far less able to resist change of temperature. Give every bedroom a thorough airing every day, more especially if several children are obliged to sleep together, or with their parents. This is to be avoided, if possible, if any of them may have a window slightly from the top, or if this cannot be done, raise from below. There is frequently bad air enough generated and breathed in the sleeping apartment of a family with small children to supply the air of a room with colds, but a number of so-called "malarious" diseases to last a year, perhaps longer. Neglect of bathing is another prolific source of colds. A child from three to ten years old should certainly receive a bath twice a week in winter. A warm bath at night, taking special care to avoid any chill after, will frequently break up a sudden cold. Keep children from playing in chilly, unwarmed rooms in autumn and winter weather. Let them play out of doors as much as possible, taking care to have their feet warm and dry. A flannel suit and rubber overshoes will often save much cough medicine and doctor's bills. Keep them warmly clothed, but do not be content with thick coats and worsted hoods, while short skirts barely

March Meeting.

The annual town meeting in Quincy, held on Monday last, passed off very quietly. Nearly seventeen hundred voters went to the polls and cast their votes, but there was no one drunk or noisy, nor any disturbance. Since the liquor saloons were closed peace and quiet reigned. Nearly all who held an office last year were re-elected. Mrs. Claffin, who was nominated for one of the School Committee, at the Republican caucus, was elected by a very handsome vote. The vote on the sale of intoxicating liquors was about the same as last year—over two to one against granting licenses. The polls were held from 7:30 A. M. and kept open until 4 P. M., and in about one hour after the result was announced by the Moderator. The ballots were received by the Selectmen and counted nearly as fast as deposited by the Moderator. Clerk and three assistants, namely: H. A. Keith, Edwin W. Marsh, and Seymour Butler. For full particulars see report in another column.

The "Jessie James" Gang.

Many of our citizens have within a few days read or heard reports of larceny and mischief done by a gang of small boys who reside in Quincy, from eleven to sixteen years of age. The facts of the reports are these:

About Christmas time the Coddling schoolhouse was entered and a lot of paper, pens and pencils were taken. Three weeks ago yesterday it was entered again, ransacked pretty closely, and many dozens of pencils, several gross of steel pens, besides a large quantity of writing paper and other things were carried off. The next day, Saturday, the Adams Academy was entered, and a lot of skates, boys' gloves, stationery, two rulers, etc., were taken. On the Monday following the lost house of Mr. Benjamin F. Bass, at Black's creek, was entered; some things were carried away, and many others broken or injured. The loss estimates his loss at fifty dollars.

They next entered the private schoolhouse on Greenleaf street, and they helped themselves to the things usually found in schoolhouses.

Complaints were made to Officer Farnham, who began to investigate the matter. Having gained some clue, by learning that a certain boy was seen with a dark lantern, he commenced tracing out the guilty party. He found that eight boys, paid by the gang, had formed themselves into a gang, and had their headquarters in a stable, in the rear of the Robertson house. Three of them had the house with the letters "J. J." painted on the door, and they called themselves the "Jessie James Gang." Part of their booty was found under Southern's old plowing mill. The four who were arrested, and some on their property.

The names of the lads have been given to the Superintendent of the Schools, and what action will be taken is not known as yet. As the parents of these young rogues are very respectable, they may not be brought before the court for trial, for these reasons we are requested to withhold the names for the present.

It is a sad affair for the parents, that their boys should be found guilty of such wicked deeds. Still it is fortunate for the boys that their mischief has been found out, as other evil deeds might soon have sent them to jail, if not to the gallows. We learn that one of the boys had already secured a pistol, and that plans had been laid for breaking into the High schoolhouse, and also a fruit store, on Granite street, near the post office. If their career had not been thus timely checked, there is little doubt but some deeds more terrible than these petty larcenies would soon have happened.

The Boston Journal, in alluding to these young desperadoes, says: "The discovery of a band of juvenile burglars at Quincy, organized under the inspiring name of the 'Jessie James gang,' and voting themselves to acts of lawlessness and plunder, taken in connection with the recent burning of a schoolhouse, has excited the attention of the public. The school boy by his teacher, and the school of another small boy on his way to the Western prairie, has been outfitted with a copy of Peck's 'Bad Boy' and a revolver, is something which may profitably serve as a lesson for parents and educators. To what is the American small boy tending? What is the meaning of all this petty crime of crime among youth of such a tender age? Probably the question cannot be answered off hand, or by a single explanation. But there are certain obvious things that are going wrong that they ought to be. For one thing, there is an innate love of adventure in the composition of the young, which, if rightly directed, may be led to the study of history, biography and travels, and may be satisfied by the healthful enjoyment of the exciting and unusual in actual human experience. But ignorance, crime, and suffering to feed on deluding mental jargon, this love of adventure, which in itself is natural and good, which may help to the formation of a vigorous and courageous manhood, accepts wrong as a guide, and leads to the study of crime and crime in the newspapers, and to the reading of tales. Books like Peck's 'Bad Boy' are distinctly pernicious, because they lead to everything that is good, and make a hero out of a boy who in his mind breaks was a public nuisance, and at its worst a public calamity.

But the chief cause of this deplorable tendency, is bad books and bad papers. "Dime novels" are often spoken of in this connection, but the dime novel as it first came into existence is a standard and a healthy comparison with the boys' story papers and dime novels. Let the reader possess himself of a few specimens of these papers and he will see that the world that boys are educated in, is a world of crime. The moral for parents is to be sure that they know not only what their boys are doing, but what they are reading, and what are the influences and ideals of life that set before them.

JOHN WILSON HOUSE. At the recent annual meeting of the Waymouth Historical Society, the Library Committee stated, among the donations were 27 bound volumes, 65 pamphlets, 3 framed pictures, and one of the pictures was an engraving from a painting by Miss Quincy, of the ancient dwelling house of Rev. John Wilson, one of the earliest ministers of Quincy. This house stood on what is now known as the Taylor farm, near the residence of Mr. Edmund F. Taylor, on Hancock street. The sketch was taken in 1846, and the house was removed a few years later.

Mr. William Faxon killed a very large eagle at Hough's Neck last Sunday. It measured 7 feet, 4 inches.

Brief Locals.

A female setter dog has been found for sale.

A large black horse is offered for sale.

Mr. Peter Malone has a splendid cow for sale.

A good girl to do general housework is wanted.

The days have now increased two hours and twenty-nine minutes.

The Public Library will be closed on Wednesday and Thursday next.

Mr. Charles Crane has been confined to the house by sickness the past few days.

Any one desiring a good piano at a low price should read a notice in our columns today.

John Q. Adams, Esq., sent yesterday to the Selectmen his resignation as Road Commissioner.

Mr. Franklin Hardwick, with his wife and daughter, left home on Thursday evening for Florida.

The W. C. T. Union of Quincy, will hold their annual meeting Thursday March 13th, at 3 P. M. at Faxon Hall.

John Q. A. Field, Esq., returned on Saturday last from a pleasant trip to New Orleans and other cities in the South.

The Crane Public Library is much appreciated. Over 10,000 books were given out during the last two months.

George A. Ordway did a big business at his new dining saloon on election day. He accommodated 169 guests.

Mr. W. H. Glennon, inventor of the road skates, will appear at the rink this evening on an improved pair of his last invention.

The friends of Mrs. Thomas Pratt are intending to celebrate the birthday of this excellent lady at her present home, in Mattapan, March 17th.

Mr. Joseph Adams returns thanks to Dr. Cutting for the great skill displayed in the treatment of one of his amputees.

F. S. Davis, M. D., has had his residence connected by telephone with the house of Dr. Wells & Davis have also been connected.

There were twenty-five different varieties of ice placed before the public at the Universalist vestry on Wednesday evening.

The weighing was excellent the first of the week, the best we have had this winter, and those having fast horses have tried their speed over the race course.

The Committee on Finance gave a check for \$1,000 to the Board of Monday afternoon, to all persons interested in paying M. C. Chubbuck and others a soldier's bounty of \$125.

Dr. Sails is pleased to inform his friends and patrons that his office is now connected by telephone, and that night calls will be promptly attended to. Telephone number 3576.

Over one hundred tickets to Quincy and West Quincy were sold at the Neponset station on Monday last, March meeting day. We think the manager deserves a profitable business.

Miss Laura A. Hinckley, who has many friends in this town, left Boston on Wednesday for Aiken, South Carolina, where she will visit friends, intending spending the next two months.

Mr. William W. Penniman, who returned from Cape Cod on Monday, was surprised to find good sleighing in Quincy, as there was no snow on the Cape, and he saw no sleighing until he arrived within a few miles of home.

As Mr. Albert A. Brackett's man was driving Mr. Nathaniel H. Beals to the Town Hall last Monday morning owing to the bad condition of the road the sleigh A. A. Brackett was driving, and the occupants tumbled with violence on the frozen snow. Mr. Beals fortunately escaped injury, but the driver received some bad scratches on his face. The sleigh was run through a street, and the sleigher was consequently injured. It will be seen that a specially attractive feature is announced at the Universalist vestry for Friday evening, when members of Rev. J. C. Lewis' parish, at South Boston, will present the drama of "The Boy of the West." We learn that the play is an excellent cast of characters, in aid of the building fund. The object as well as the unusual merit of the entertainment promise an attendance that will test the capacity of the vestry.

Odd Fellows.

The charter members of the M. Wollaston Lodge, No. 80, I. O. O. F., have completed arrangements for the institution next Monday, which day will be a gala one with them. Grand officers of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts are expected on the first train in the afternoon, and they will institute the new lodge at two o'clock. It is expected there will be a large number of newcomers from lodges in neighboring towns.

The headquarters of M. Wollaston Lodge will be in the hall of the new building recently erected by George F. Wilson. This hall will be leased by the lodge, who have furnished it very tastefully and conveniently for the purposes for which it will be desired. The hall is forty-five feet by twenty-eight, with two good-sized anti-rooms. A rich tapestry carpet has been laid, and the officers' chairs are nicely upholstered in the appropriate colors. The walls and ceiling have been beautifully frescoed; while the handsome gas fixtures, canopies, venetian blinds, etc., make the hall look attractive and elegant.

The new lodge will start off very satisfactorily; there are twenty-three charter members, and over one hundred applications for membership among them several of Quincy's most prominent business men. With such a strong start, the Odd Fellowship is anything but a success in this town.

Annual Town Meeting.

The annual town meeting in Quincy was held on Monday last. The Clerk called the meeting to order and read the warrant. After the choice of John Quincy Adams, Esq., as Moderator, the following business was transacted:

Vote, That after the election of town officers, under article two of the constitution, the disposition of article three, the Moderator, without entertaining any other motion, shall declare this meeting adjourned, to meet at this place on Monday, March 24, 1884, at one o'clock, P. M., at which time the remaining articles of the warrant shall be considered.

Vote, That the Moderator of this meeting, with the retiring Selectmen, the Selectmen-elect, and fifteen citizens to be appointed by the Moderator, three of whom shall be inhabitants of the Centre District, three of the South District, three of the West District, two of the Wollaston District, two of the Atlantic District, and two of the Quincy Point District, shall constitute a committee who shall consider the remaining articles of the warrant, and report at the adjournment of this meeting, what action they consider it advisable for the town to take thereon, with suitable form of votes for carrying out their recommendations. They shall also publish in the QUINCY PATRIOT, previous to said adjournment meeting, the action they intend to propose for the consideration of the town on the several articles submitted to them.

Vote, To vote for Town Clerk, Thomas Pratt, three Selectmen, Assessors, two School Committee for three years, two trustees of Thomas Crane Library for three years, two Managers of Adams Academy for three years, two Managers of Mount Wollaston Cemetery for two years, one Commissioner of Sinking Fund for three years, Collector of Taxes, one Road Commissioner for three years, and fourteen constables, all on one ballot.

Vote, To close the polls at 4 o'clock P. M.

The following is the report of the voting as declared by the Moderator:

John G. Gill, elected, 1074
Thomas Pratt, elected, 1074
Horace B. Spear, elected, 1074
Selectmen and Assessors, 1010
Elias A. Perkins, 1074
Thomas H. Pratt, elected, 1074
James E. Maxim, 1074
James J. Malone, 1074
Alexander Marnock, 1074
School Committee for 3 years, 1074
Scholastic Board, elected, 1074
Adelaide A. Claffin, 1074
Francis L. Hayes, 1074
Robert J. Williams, 1074
William O'Connor, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Trustees of Thomas Crane Public Library for three years, 1074
Luther W. Anderson, elected, 1074
Frederick A. Claffin, 1074
William H. Price, 1074
George H. Claffin, 1074
Samuel M. Donovan, 1074
Frank J. Bonney, 1074
Henry W. Smith, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Managers of Adams Academy for three years, 1074
Peter Butler, elected, 1074
John Q. Adams, 1074
Lewis Bass, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Managers of Mt. Wollaston Cemetery for two years, 1074
Joseph H. Vogel, elected, 1074
George L. Baxter, 1074
Thomas H. McDonnell, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Commissioner of Sinking Fund for three years, 1074
Rupert F. Claffin, elected, 1074
Joseph W. Robertson, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Collector of Taxes, 1074
George H. Locke, elected, 1074
Joseph T. French, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Road Commissioner for three years, 1074
William F. Faxon, elected, 1074
John Q. Adams, 1074
George A. Ordway, 1074
Scattering, 1074

Constables, 1074
Washington M. French, elected, 1074
J. Warren Hayden, 1074
Edward A. Claffin, 1074
Amos M. Littlefield, 1074
Francis A. Spear, 1074
George H. Claffin, 1074
Marcus E. Wight, 1074
William C. Seelye, 1074
Edward A. Claffin, 1074
Mark E. Hanson, 1074
George H. Locke, 1074
John H. McDonald, 1074
Charles N. Hunt, 1074
Robert W. Turner, 1074
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Nathan C. Glover, 1074
Joseph L. Lombard, 1074
John H. Claffin, 1074
John C. Knapples, 1074
Jonathan A. Claffin, 1074
William Egan, 1074
James Haverham, 1074
Samuel B. Turner, 1074
Bryant N. Adams, 1074
Michael C. Joseph, 1074
James E. Maxim, 1074
Joseph Walker, 1074
William E. Warner, 1074
Walter Egan, 1074
Arthur H. Claffin, 1074
John Hagerly, 1074
Robert Allen, 1074
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Field, Elias A. Perkins and Christopher A. Spear.

Sundkeeper, Christopher A. Spear.
Treasurer, Charles S. Egan.
Ebenzer Adams and George Yeazie.
Field Drivers, Frank L. Merrill, Samuel B. Turner, Thomas Kenyon and Bartholomew Readman.

Auditors, John Q. A. Field, John Chamberlain and H. A. Keith.

Committee to whom the remaining articles of the warrant were referred, John Q. Adams, George H. Field, Elias A. Perkins, Christopher A. Spear, Edwin W. Marsh, William A. Holley, George Cahill, Theophilus King, Jr., Charles F. Adams, Jr., John W. Hall, John C. Cole, Joseph H. Vogel, William N. Eaton, George F. Pinkham, Herbert T. Whitman, John A. Dugan, William H. Claffin, James H. Sade and James J. Malone.

The vote of the town on the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" was as follows: Yes, 407; No, 1067.

The meeting then adjourned.

SPRING IS NEAR. The time is rapidly drawing near when the preparing of the ground for the sowing of seed etc., for flower and vegetable gardens, and good manure and fertilizers will be sought for. Mr. Charles N. Hunt of Atlantic, agent for the Commonwealth fertilizer, invites the attention of our readers to a trial of this fertilizer which he says gives the best of satisfaction and compares favorably with the higher priced fertilizers. Mr. Hunt can furnish it in any quantity and will also cheerfully give any information concerning it. Send him for testimonials and prices.

For the Patriot.

Quincy Point Items.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. The union temperance meeting, held in the Congregational Church on Sunday evening last, was well attended. Mr. John Frederich, 34, presiding. After a few opening remarks by the chairman, prayer was offered by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Lewis, and the wisdom of polling a large "no license" vote at the Monday election, the speakers of the evening, Rev. D. M. Wilson and Mr. Charles A. Foster were introduced. The addresses of both these gentlemen were listened to with close attention, each showing the wisdom of a continuance of the course so successfully carried out in the past two years. Many facts were cited which had come under their observation, "I feel" while we were in search of a "Phil" to take us through the "Magical" of Old Tennessee. The laughter of the "Freedom of the Press" brought the entertainment to a close, and it need not be said, that all were pleased with the evening's sport.

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Rural Lodge is in a prosperous condition, and has considerable work before it this winter, there being several candidates waiting for degrees.

The causes of the increasing frequency and violence of floods in American rivers, and the measures that ought to be taken for protection against them, will be discussed by Dr. Oswald in the April number of the North American Review.

The movement for a statue of the late Wendell Phillips in Boston, has been abandoned. Mrs. Phillips not approving of the project.

For the Patriot.

Wollaston Items.

The K. of H. boys held their annual reception at Wollaston Hall, on Friday and Saturday evenings of last week, and presented to their patrons a very interesting programme in the shape of a minstrel entertainment. Large audiences were present on both evenings, to greet the W. W. S., as the rising stars of the troupe, who were the "blackberry" picnic, who, in a pleasing way invited all to join in the frolic, and so we had the opportunity of seeing "Evilina" gather "Sweet Violets" "Early in the Morn'g," "Gabriel blew de horn" at the "Capetown Races" even if "Hazers were flying through the air," while we were in search of a "Phil" to take us through the "Magical" of Old Tennessee. The laughter of the "Freedom of the Press" brought the entertainment to a close, and it need not be said, that all were pleased with the evening's sport.

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MASONIC. On Thursday evening Rural Lodge held its regular meeting in the beautiful headquarters in Robertson block, under the direction of the Master, Master Masons degree was exemplified on three candidates in a satisfactory manner. There was a very large attendance of the brothers from the neighboring lodges, there being at least seventy-five, representing some twelve lodges, and some, together with a full attendance of the members, tested the lodge room to its utmost, and was probably the largest meeting of Rural Lodge. Following the meeting a bountiful elaborate supper was served in the hall, and the members were most hospitably entertained, and it is almost needless to say that full justice was done to the inner man before departing for home.

Rural Lodge is in a prosperous condition, and has considerable work before it this winter, there being several candidates waiting for degrees.

The causes of the increasing frequency and violence of floods in American rivers, and the measures that ought to be taken for protection against them, will be discussed by Dr. Oswald in the April number of the North American Review.

The movement for a statue of the late Wendell Phillips in Boston, has been abandoned. Mrs. Phillips not approving of the project.

For the Patriot.

The Trial of the Hydrants.

EDITOR PATRIOT: At the request of yourself and several other citizens we herewith give you a statement concerning the condition of our works at the time of the trial given the hydrants on Feb. 23d. Some ten days previous to this time we notified the Town's Committee that we had thirty-seven hydrants ready for service, and upon notice we would turn over wrenches to the proper parties and give them all needed instructions for their use.

Late in the evening of February 21st we received verbal information that the town would like to try the hydrants on the following day. It was then understood that the trial should occur in the afternoon. Early in the forenoon it was decided by the engineers that they would have the trial then, and with only an hour's notice the water was turned on. At the time of deciding that the trial was to be made in the forenoon, we had but twenty-seven feet of water in the stand-pipe on Payne's Hill. We were pumping into it, expecting to have it full for a trial in the afternoon. We continued pumping during the trial, in order to maintain the head as high as possible, and did, in fact, slightly increase it. The average pressure at the Town Hall during the trial being eight-six pounds, as shown by the chart on our self-recording pressure gauge. With a full stand-pipe this pressure would have been increased ten pounds, or so, and a much better exhibition would have resulted.

It had been desired, or it should ever have been, that we have water in the stand-pipe, we can pump directly into our main pipes, with the stand-pipe disconnected, and increase the water pressure to 150 pounds or more, and supply twelve to fifteen large fire streams under that pressure at once.

With the result of this trial I presume you are familiar. With three lines of 2 1/2 inch steel, and one of 1 1/4 inch varying from 7.5 inch to 1.4 inch in diameter, two streams were thrown to one-half the height of the columns of the belfry of the Unitarian Church, and at the same time a third stream was thrown over the Collingdon school-house.

Again four streams with 2 1/2 feet of hose each were played from one hydrant at the corner of Hancock and Granite streets; one of these streams was directed to the safe in the rear of the Robertson House, and from there threw a stream entirely over the chimneys on the building. Each of the other three streams would have done the same.

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of work termed one "per building." They make up, removing and rebuilding docks, and their facilities for the work are unsurpassed. The labor of lighters for transshipment and other materials, who utilize in carrying up, weight and heavy merchandise of Boston harbor. They kind of a mechanical device, exigencies of their peculiar brought into existence, as the best class of labor that stored.

his firm Robert Long. When at a cost of \$50,000, the job eight months. This opportunity considered impracticable. The engineers, owing to the were able to prosecute or

the fact that the old wall had been neglected to the new. They took the old walls, which were two feet thick, under water at low tide, and then the end of the wharf is 140 feet of 140 feet. One hundred feet of this wharf had been rebuilt at a cost of \$500,000, occupying two years. The advantages for the great improvement in the methods employed in the operations during the last twenty years is safe to say that Messrs. B. & C. saved the owners at least one hundred dollars, and performed a difficult piece of sea wall work done in Boston and New York by the same company. The Beacon street extension, from Boston and Roxbury Mill Corporation, is 140 feet long, 14 feet wide, and 14 feet high.

the wife at the top, and a view of height. Besides the situation above they are also situated in granite bridge abutments of similar materials.

This firm has been established for many years, and the gentlemen connected with it are well known. Mr. C. T. Derry and Mr. J. H. Derry have been associated, have been so long engaged in the trade as to possess a thorough and extended knowledge of all its requirements, and are, perhaps, the best posted on the subjects if any men in this section of the country.

The office of the firm is at No. 25 Hawley street, Boston.

Singular Circumstances

On the year 1740 one of the directors of the Bank of England, a man of considerable honor, but a very

under peculiar circumstances that he had bought at that sum of money, and for the sake obtained a note for \$100,000. As he was about to lock and key after himself, he was called out by the reception, as he thought, his partner on the mantel. Upon returning minutes later, the note had disappeared. It could not have been so, as no one had entered the reception he concluded that it had been blown into the fire and burned. He laid the matter before the officers of the bank, and the note for the same amount was given in exchange for bonds to reimburse the bank. The note should ever be preserved. "These are

As he had long been dependent upon the estate distributed among his children, he supposed non-existent notes would be cashed at the bank counter for payment. He was told, however, that the bank could not afford to honor the notes for the obligation, the money having been paid out and the heirs of the deceased having refused to make good the obligation. He was refused to do so, nor could they employ any legal machinery to force him to do so. The person who had been in the matter was supposed to have been employed to pull down the old man's house and build another one. He found the missing \$100,000 in a five-pound note in a chimney, in which it somehow had been hidden after being laid on the mantel. It must have been kept there for some time.

Ashes to Ashes in Japan

There are three large crematoriums in Osaka, and one of these is the other day. It is situated in Katsushika, outside the city. It is surrounded by a high wall, and the entrance to the place from the city is similar to that of a temple, with a gate for the chimney, which towers to a height of sixty feet. In main crematoriums there are twenty large furnaces, each capable of burning three bodies at a time. Sixty corpses can be reduced to ashes at the same time. Openings at the top of the chimneys lead to a large hall, where the ashes are placed in boxes and sent to the families of the deceased.

three o'clock in the morning the ceremony is completed. Cremations take place in the day. Where the place there were five living cremations, three grown-ups and two children. It was and no more were expected particularly struck with the cleanliness of the crematorium.—*Osaka letter in the*

Ends for the present a case which has excited in our town a great deal of interest. The case has revealed two facts pertinent to the proper rearing of children. The first is that children are suffered to have too great a liberty to do as they please with their time, and are not persistently enough corrected when they have done manifest wrong. The second is that parents are in deference to that good-old-fashioned adage "boys will be boys." But there are boys and boys. A little fellow who is roguish and playful and adventurous is boyish and most often very lovable. But one who is cruel to his playmates, who in his play is harsh and unkind, who is a liar, who is a thief, and who smokes cigarettes, is not so much boyish as vicious. Strict surveillance should be exercised with regard to his faults and habits. Neither he nor any

Prescott's, North street, heard footsteps in the yard, and going without a light to the sitting room windows, saw mainly three fellows, one of whom she recognized as young Kegan, who had formerly figured as a young criminal, dealing fish from Mr. Prescott's loaded cart. The girl immediately called for help, but before the house was aroused the three had disappeared. Kegan was seen on Saturday morning and on Saturday night before the court and fined \$50 and costs, and being unable to pay was taken to the House of Correction for thirty days.

The next night Mr. J. P. Bent's house was entered and some fish stolen, probably by the same parties.

E. M. F.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held at Colmahast, at a recent town meeting, voted to raise \$1000 to pay for watering certain streets the coming summer.

res rendered which shall be placed
file among the vouchers of the
of **Potatoes on Phosphate**,
FRANKLIN, MASS., Sept. 22, '83.
We have owned a farm seventeen years,
had thought that barnyard manure
indispensable to a good crop of po-
tatoes. This year we burned a dress-
ing of phosphate, and have the best crop
I raised. On less than two-thirds
of the ground we harvested a dra-
matic increase. On the other hand,
on some potatoes, with only a very small
portion of small ones. I shall use
phosphate on all the other, as I
can't work a farm. From the
potatoes, weighing twenty-one
bushels, I got thirty-four good, merchant-
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if they are somewhat fatigued make mistakes. They have initiated about one hundred candidates, a task in which many older lodges would not undertake in the short space of a week, and the candidates should be useful for the quick manner in which they have been admitted, and also experienced officers for the few inaccuracies that have occurred.

The charter now held by Mt. Wollaston lodge is the same one that was held by the lodge as formerly instilled, and is in excellent condition, it has been carefully preserved by the Secretary.

Old Fellows born will long be remembered, and it will be the desire to make Mt. Wollaston Lodge, No. 1, the best in the State.

There is more than fifty feet of granite in a well in Scituate that was

will pay back to the heirs of James
Huckins some of the money he has been doubly

was given in the School on Wednesday evening, the hall filled by a gratified and interested audience, who expressed appreciation in frequent applause.

He violin playing of Miss G. Jordan specially noticeable.

Rev. R. F. Gordon read an original poem.

The proceeds were for the benefit of Atlantic Mission.

The concert was a complete success.

RELIGIOUS. Miss Nellie G. McDowell, daughter of Patrick McDowell, a lady of superior talent and ablest home on Wednesday to enter a religious life, forsaking the world and all its follies. She remains month or so in Boston, and will sail for Europe, where she is to be the veil.

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Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Justice of the
County of Norfolk, this 22nd day of March, 1856,
one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

March 15. JONATHAN COBB, Justice.

Administrators' Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the administrators
of the estate of FRANCIS M. CLARK,
late of Marlboro, Mass., having estate in the
County of Norfolk, do hereby call upon
herein, that they, by giving bonds, as the
law directs, may be admitted to the said
estate.

All persons having demands upon the estate of
said deceased, or who are entitled to any
and all persons interested, to send in or call on
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NARAEL C. TOOLE, Adm'r.
Quincy, March 12, 1856.

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In the case of Road Commission offered. The Engineer spent \$1029.16, or amount appropriated by the Commissioner have sent \$1392.

on those accounts the town reported (p. 92) that the entire \$100,000 was due to the fact of not making provision for the ordinary expenses to cover them." This, since have been of officers kept strict appropriations. The framed to remedy all town officers and any expenses in specifically appropriate sanction of the inhabitants had and obtained.

The committee following:

VOTE. The sum of \$500 is appropriated to be expended for the purchase of the Selectmen's report to the Town of \$500 is also similarly expended for the purchase of the report of the Selectmen, &c., the ground house.

VOTE. So much report as relates to referred to a committee. Town Treasurer and members of the Sinking Fund. Treasurer is authorized to issue instructions of said committee. new notes of the sinking fund standing notes now outstanding.

ART. 5. To determine the highways during the year.

VOTE. Article 3 of the constitution is hereby amended so as to read: "The town treasurer shall be elected annually on the first day of January, and shall hold office for one year, and until his successor is elected."

VOTE, The Overseers shall direct the sale of the town lands for the

ART. 7. To see if the or any part thereof, on the Newcomb lot, and execute a deed for the same

VOTE, The Selectmen authorized to sell land known as the "Newcomb" part thereof, and deducting therefrom the expenses of the sale, to the Commission Fund, who shall

VOTE. The report of the commissioners on guide accepted.

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Sunday, "	25	8.00	3.20 "
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Wednesday, "	25	10.30	5.03 "
Thursday, "	25	11.30	5.03 "
Friday, "	25	11.45	8.08 P. M.

New Moon, March 22, 12:47 A. M.

REPORT
OF
THE COMMITTEE
UPON THE
Remaining Articles of Warrant.

The Committee of the town to whom were referred the articles of the warrant not disposed of at the annual town meeting held March 8, 1884, have carefully considered each and all of the remaining articles, and submit herewith to the town the action deemed by them most advisable for the town to take thereon, together with a form of vote suitable in each case for carrying out their recommendation.

ART. 1. To set upon the report of the Auditor of Accounts, School Committee, Land Commissioners, Treasurer of Grace Public School, Adams Academy, and Managers of Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

The committee to whom was referred the auditor's report, have to report that it appears therefrom that the accounts of the Engineers of the Fire Department and the Road Commissioners have respectively exceeded the sums appropriated by the town.

In the case of the Selectmen an examination of this fact is found in their report, on page 7 of the Town Book, and appears to be the result of a clerical error (\$222.82) was incurred in the settlement of a law-suit of long standing against the town, which involved the payment of \$250.

In the case of the Engineers and Road Commissioners no explanation is given. The Engineers appear to have spent \$1029.16, or 17 per cent. over the amount appropriated; while the Road Commissioners, on the other hand, have spent \$1202.44, or 8.4 per cent. more than the amounts appropriated.

In the case of the Selectmen a committee of the town reported that the sum of \$100.00 was due to the town for the services of the Selectmen for the year 1883, and that the town was indebted to the Selectmen for the year 1884 for the same services.

The committee recommended the following action to be taken by the town:

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